

ALBERT L. KAVALEGE COMMITTS SUICIDE SHOT IS FIRED ON COURT STREET BRIDGE.

Death Was Instantaneous, and The Body Fell Into The River--- Remains Quickly Recovered--- Was Undoubtedly Temporarily Insane--Well Known Man and Very Popular.

While suffering with temporary insanity, Albert Kavalege, for twenty-six years the shorthand reporter of the circuit court, climbed over the rail of the Court street bridge at 11 o'clock this morning, shot himself through the temple, and fell lifeless into Rock river. The body was recovered a few moments afterward, but life was extinct.

Mr Kavalege was on duty at the court house as usual this morning, taking the testimony in the case of Allison versus Allison. At 10:45 he left his desk, and getting his overcoat, left the court room. He said nothing but the lawyers noted the fact that he was pale, and looked as if he were ill. From the court house he went to his home, 53 South Third street. Going directly to his bed room, he secured his revolver, and throwing off his overcoat, bolted from the house. Neighbors noticed his peculiar actions, as he ran down Bluff street at top speed.

Said He Was Crazy.

Charles H. Patterson and Hon. Hamilton Richardson saw Kavalege come onto the bridge. Mr. Richardson passed him on the sidewalk, and both spoke. Patterson was on the opposite side of the bridge, and some distance from Kavalege. He did not notice anything wrong with Kavalege, and was greatly surprised when he saw Kavalege climb over the railing.

"What are you going to do, Al?" Patterson called.

"I haven't slept for a week," Kavalege replied, "I'm crazy!"

He stood on the outside of the railing holding on with his left hand. An instant later he raised his pistol and sent the bullet crashing into his temple. Death was apparently instantaneous, and the body toppled into the river.

Remains Are Recovered.

Patterson hastened across the bridge, and looked down. The bubbles showed where the body sank, and Mr. Patterson hastened to Nelson's livery barn to give the alarm. Ex-Sheriff Acheson, Horatio Nelson and others hastened to the spot. A ladder was quickly thrust down into the water, and with a hook that was finally fastened into his clothing, the body was raised. The patrol was called and the remains were taken to Nelson's undertaking rooms.

Sheriff Appleby at once summoned a coroner's jury, and Justice Patton took charge of the inquisition.

The jurors were H. L. Skavlem, William Ross, Lewis Hemmens, L. L. Fletcher, J. B. McLean, and T. L. Acheson. The following witnesses were sworn Judge John R. Bennett, Charles H. Patterson, David Brown, W. H. Appleby and Dr. E. F. Woods. Dr. Woods testified that he had treated Mr. Kavalege for insomnia, with which complaint Mr. Kavalege had suffered. Judge Bennett told of Mr. Kavalege's condition when he was in court this morning. The others told about recovering the body, etc. After listening to the testimony the jury returned the following verdict:

"We, the jury, find that the said Albert L. Kavalege came to his death on the twenty-fourth day of January by means of a pistol shot wound in the head while temporarily insane from insomnia."

Reporter For 26 Years

Mr. Kavalege was about fifty years of

look for him, and returned in a few moments to tell us of his suicide. I never experienced a greater shock.

Sleeplessness the Cause.

"I played whist with Mr. Kavalege last night, and now remember that I thought he did not play as good a game as he usually did. He had suffered with sleeplessness for a long time, and I think he became so nervous that he was not responsible. He was naturally self contained, and probably said nothing about his nervous condition until it had brought him to the last ditch.

"Yes, the bar will undoubtedly take some action on his death. Court was immediately adjourned in honor of his memory this morning.

"Mr. Kavalege came to this city from Milwaukee, and was, I think, something over fifty years of age.

"When he met Hon. Hamilton Richardson this morning, I am told, he told Mr. Richardson that he was crazy. Mr. Richardson met him near the corner of Park street, and did not notice anything unusual about him except that he wore no overcoat. Mr. Richardson attached no importance to Mr. Kavalege's remark about being insane, as Kavalege was shipping about on the icy walk, and he thought Kavalege was joking about that fact."

WILL REMEMBER THE MAINE CRIME

AMERICANS IN HAVANA WILL COMMEMORATE FEB. 15.

Propose to Have a Demonstration In Which Gen. Lee and Captain Sigbee Will Participate--Graves of Martyrs of That Catastrophe Will Be Strewn With Flowers.

Havana, Jan. 24.—[Special]—February 15, the anniversary of the destruction of the Maine, will be appropriately observed here. American women now in Havana, are arranging details of the program. The graves of the martyrs will be decorated, flags placed at half mast, including the one over the wreck, and Captain Sigbee will deliver an address. General Lee will march at the head of the parade, and high mass will be sung in the cathedral.

A SHOCKING SUICIDE

Bohemian Explodes a Dynamite Cart- ridge On His Breast and Is Blown to Atoms.

Rhineland, Bohemia, Jan. 24.—[Special]—Francis Stein committed suicide here in a shocking manner. While lying in bed placed a dynamite cartridge on his breast and touched it off. The explosion left his feet undisturbed, but the rest of his body was completely dissipated.

FIERCE FIGHT WITH A THIEF.

Walter L. Barker at Rock Island Is Shot Twice by His Assailant.

Rock Island, Ill., Jan. 24.—Walter L. Barker, aged 19, a clerk in George A. McDonald's grocery store, in Fifth avenue, had a struggle for life with a burglar yesterday in the basement of the store. Barker was shot twice by the desperado before the latter escaped. Barker was alone in the store, the proprietor and other clerks being at dinner. While getting some coal in the cellar, his attention was attracted by a noise as of the wrenching open of the money drawer. He ran up stairs, but just as he reached the floor he was struck in the head with a chair in the hands of the intruder. Barker grappled with his assailant, and the two fell backward into the cellar, where a fierce hand-to-hand fight ensued. The burglar finally threw Barker down, and pulling a revolver from his hip pocket, placed the muzzle in the helpless clerk's mouth and pulled the trigger. The ball went through Barker's left cheek. Two more shots followed, one taking effect in the clerk's left arm and the other going wide of its mark. The bandit secured \$35 from the cash drawer and made his exit through a back door. Barker will recover.

Judge Grosscup Confirmed.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Judge Peter S. Grosscup of Chicago was confirmed by the senate yesterday as United States circuit judge for the Seventh judicial circuit. No action was taken by President McKinley upon the appointment of a successor to Judge Grosscup on the district bench.

Clark W. Bryan Ends Life.

Springfield, Mass., Jan. 24.—Clark W. Bryan, aged 74 years, formerly part owner of the Republican, and later owner of the Union, shot and killed himself yesterday. He founded the Good Housekeeper and the Paper World. A few years ago he met with business reverses.

E. M. Fox, of Madison, the general special agent of the Fidelity Mutual Life Association, was in town today. Mr. Fox took the agency for the company on Jan. 1, and Rock county is a part of his territory.

SPAIN HAS A VERY ADROIT SCHEME

PROPOSES TO RECOGNIZE PHIL- IPPINE INDEPENDENCE.

Such An Act Would Save the Trade of the Islands and Frustrate the Plans of the United States--Report May Be Started In the Interest of Treaty Ratification.

Washington, Jan. 24.—[Special]—There are indications of a novel political condition touching the relations of the Philippine Islands with the rest of the world. It now seems probable that Spain, the nation against whose sway the islanders have long been in rebellion, will be the first to recognize their independence. Representatives of the rebels are said to be conducting negotiations towards the recognition of the independence of the Philippines, and it is hinted that their suit is looked upon with considerable favor.

There are several reasons for the attitude of the Spanish government. In the first place it is recognized that the islands are irrevocably lost to Spain, and no benefit will accrue from a refusal to recognize their independence. Then it is thought that by recognizing their independence before the ratification of the peace treaty with the United States this government's purpose to annex the islands to its domain will be defeated. This is revengeful; it is true, but the United States could not well take umbrage at it. It is also hoped that by recognizing Philippine independence much of the trade of the islands will be saved to Spain—an advantage not lightly to be considered, for in times of peace commerce with the islands is large and lucrative.

It is, of course, impossible to state what the course of Spain will be, but these reasons are mentioned as likely to have an influence. What its effect will be time alone can determine. That it would lessen the influence of the United States in the Philippines is admitted on all hands here.

There are a few who charge that this report has been set afloat by the expansionists in order to hasten the ratification of the treaty, and thus forestall the Spanish plan. This is stoutly denied, however.

EXPECT TO SEE FIGHTING.

Regiment Starts For the Philippines Under Hurry Orders.

Fort Creek, Neb., Jan. 24.—[Special] The twenty-second infantry started for San Francisco today under hurry orders. It will sail for Manila Saturday. The officers expressed the opinion that the regiment would be fighting almost as soon as it left the transport.

ALGER TO TESTIFY

Secretary of War Invited to Appear Be- fore War Investigators.

Washington, Jan. 24.—[Special]—The war investigators have invited Gen. Alger to appear before them tomorrow. No answer has been received from the secretary, but it is generally believed he will be on hand.

WANTS TO SETTLE IT

Emperor of Germany Sends an Envoy to London Relative to the Samoa Difficulty.

London, Jan. 24.—[Special]—A special envoy from the emperor of Germany has arrived here bearing dispatches to the British government relative to the Samoa trouble. It is reported that a project is on foot for the settlement of the difficulties at Apia.

FORECAST OF WEATHER

Chicago, Jan. 24.—[Special]—Forecast for Wisconsin:
Partly cloudy, tonight and Wednesday, snow.

OPPOSED TO ANNEXATION.

Resolutions Adopted by the American Peace Society.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 24.—The board of directors of the American Peace society, at a meeting held in this city yesterday, Robert Treat Palne presiding, unanimously passed the following resolutions:

"Resolved, That the sovereignty or permanent authority of the United States ought not to be extended over any foreign people without their free consent, acquisition of such sovereignty by the so-called rights of conquest being contrary to the fundamental principles of morality and also to those of our national constitution.

"Resolved, That the annexation of the Philippine Islands would be attended by great physical and moral evils to our people; would result in the waste of the national resources, and would tend to international entanglements liable to result in the demand for a burdensome navy and army, which would be fraught with great danger to the republic. Therefore, the islands ought not to be annexed to the United States, but allowed to set up a government for themselves, under such United States or international supervision as may be necessary to secure to the islands wise and stable government."

THE MARRIAGE LICENSE LAW

Local Clergy Are Divided as to the Ad- visability of Its Passage.

There is considerable interest among the Janesville clergymen as to the marriage license bill of Assemblyman True, which is now before the legislature. If the bill passes, Milwaukee will no longer be the haven of eloping couples, for it requires them to take out a marriage license before a clergyman or justice can tie the nuptial knot. Illinois couples will be particularly affected. Scores of them come across the line every year and are united in marriage here. A desire to avoid publicity is their chief motive, for the expense of coming here far overbalances the cost of the license, and cuts little figure.

There is a variety of opinions among the clergymen here as to the advisability of passing the law. Some advocate a change of the present law, on the ground that it would tend to discourage clandestine marriages, while others take the ground that ministers are quite as capable as court officials in deciding whether or not young people should be married. The examination of the candidates for wedded bliss by the clergymen, which is conducted under oath, is held by many ministers to be just as searching and effective as their examination by a court clerk would be.

One matter upon which all the ministers agree is that their income from marriage fees would be greatly diminished if the new law goes into effect as most of the fees would go to the state instead of to the minister.

MEN MURDERED WOMEN SPARED

BALABEC NATIVES MASSACRE SPANISH OFFICERS.

None of the Men Were Spared From Death, But the Women Were Not Maltreated Except That They Were Robbed--Scene of the Massacre Is Near Borneo.

London, Jan. 24.—[Special]—A dispatch from Labuan, British Borneo, says it was on the Island of Balabac that the Spanish governor and other officers were murdered by natives, and not on the Island of Palawan. The governor's widow and sixty other women and children have been brought to Labuan. The women were robbed of everything valuable, but otherwise were not maltreated. No men were spared.

MARINETTE'S SLEEPING GIRL

Having Been Awakened, She Suffers No Ill Effects From Her Slumber.

Marinette, Wis., Jan. 24.—The daughter of Edward J. Martin, an ex-alderman, awoke yesterday morning, after sleeping nearly a week. During that time her slumber was wholly unbroken, and the strongest efforts of her attendants failed to awaken her. She took no nourishment during that time, and the only signs of life she manifested were her breathing and a smile when attempts were made to awaken her. Thursday evening she revived and was given nourishment, but she immediately relapsed into unconsciousness, and did not awaken until yesterday morning.

Her physical condition is good and she seems to have no ill effects from her long slumber. At present she is as wide awake as ever, and knows nothing of her long sleep.

Physicians attended her and ascribe her strange condition to a sort of nervous prostration, due in a measure to the death of her mother last summer and a fright she received about six months ago. She is seventeen years old.

TRAGEDY IN PHILADELPHIA.

George Ayres Kills His Wife and Ends His Own Life.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 24.—George Ayres shot and killed his wife, fatally wounded her lover and shot himself dead. He had been married twenty years, marrying when he was 21, and his wife 16. They have a son, aged 17, in the army. Just before the war the son introduced John J. Wilson, aged 21, to the family, and the mother became infatuated with her son's chum.

Her husband bought a \$10,000 house for her and gave her diamonds, but she persisted, and one night recently had him arrested on a false charge of cruelty, and that night stripped the house of its furniture, and with Wilson moved to 3500 Mervine street. Ayres walked the streets at night for two weeks, and last night loaded two revolvers and with a club went to the house. He shot Wilson four times, put two bullets into his wife's head, and sitting on a divan, with the bodies at his feet, shot himself dead.

Cattlemen Going to Denver.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 24.—Hundreds of cattlemen from all directions arrived on the early trains yesterday, and it is evident that there will be a large attendance at the second annual convention of the National Live Stock association, which opens today. Forty-five organized bodies, representing twenty states, are now affiliated with the national association, and it is believed that they will send to Denver this week from 700 to 1,000 delegates and three times as many visitors.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. T. on each tablet.

LODGE AND CLAY FAVOR THE TREATY

MASSACHUSETTS AND GEORGIA SENATORS AGREE.

Both Advocate the Ratification of the Peace Pact With Spain--The Former Would Not Attempt to Make the Philippines Citizens At Present.

Washington, Jan. 24.—[Special]—Senator Lodge addressed the senate today in favor of the ratification of the peace treaty. He said when the treaty is ratified we have full power and are absolutely free to do with the Philippines as we please. We believe the United States can be trusted to deal honestly and justly with the islands and their inhabitants. He did not think the United States would tempt to incorporate the islands with our body politic, or make the inhabitants part of our citizenship or place their labor alongside ours, and without a tariff to compel any industry to compete with American workmen.

Senator Clay, of Georgia, also spoke in favor of ratification, but said the United States should recognize the independence of the Philippines as soon as it is found capable of performing all its international obligations.

FELL DOWN THE SHAFT

Veteran of Two Wars Meets a Ter- rible Death at Calumet, Mich., Today.

Calumet, Mich., Jan. 24.—[Special]—Edward Hawkins, an old man who has seen service in the British navy during the Zulu and Sudan wars, and who had been employed in the mines here for a short time, met a terrible death at Tan-arack Junior this morning. He fell down a perpendicular shaft, a distance of nearly 4,000 feet. Pieces of his body were picked up in different parts of the shaft.

CARLISTS GET MONEY

They Are Said to Have Floated a Loan in London and Are Very Active.

Madrid, Jan. 24.—[Special]—It is reported that the Carlists have floated a loan in London. There is renewed activity on the part of the Carlists in the provinces of Murcia, Valencia and Catalonia.

NEW JERSEY ELECTS

John Dean is Chosen United States Senator to Succeed James Smith.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 24.—[Special]—John Dean was elected United States senator to succeed James Smith.

THE DECLAMATORY CONTEST

High School Pupils Will Engage in One at Brodhead on January 30.

A double declamatory contest between representative of the High schools and of the graded schools of Green and Rock counties will take place in connection with the farmer's institute at Brodhead on the evening of Jan. 31 at 7:30 o'clock. The Century Pen company, of Whitewater, has given two of its best fountain pens for prizes for the occasion, and other prizes will also be given. The following schools will send one or more representatives: Evansville, Edgerton, Milton Junction, Janesville, Milton, Orfordville, Footville, Juda, Albany, Monticello and Brodhead.

The judges will be competent persons from without the counties. Brodhead has arranged to entertain the contestants free while in the city. It seems probable that a permanent league will grow out of this contest between the schools of the two counties. This would prove a great impetus to the rhetorical work of our educational institutions.

Miss Imogene McDonald is to represent the Janesville High school in the declamatory contest at Brodhead. She speaks the selection with which she won the High school medal in '97, Dickens' "Child Wife."

Alexander the Great.

No single personality, excepting the carpenter's son of Nazareth, has done so much to make the world of civilization we live in what it is as Alexander of Macedon. He leveled the terrace upon which European history was built. Whatever lay within the range of his conquests contributed its part to form that Mediterranean civilization which, under Rome's administration, became the basis of European life. What lay beyond was as if on another planet. Alexander checked his eastward march at the Sutlej, and India and China were left in a world of their own, with their own mechanism for man and society; their own theories of God and the world. Alexander's world, to which we all belong, went on its own separate way until, in these latter days, a new greed of conquest, begotten of commercial ambition promises at last to level the barriers which through the centuries have stood as monuments to the outmost station of the Macedonian phalanx, and have divided the world of men in twain.—Century Magazine.

NEWS FROM OUR NEIGHBORS

Gathered By The Gazette's Correspondents.

THE GAZETTE AGENCY
W. W. CLARKE, Manager.
Milton, Wis., Jan. 24, 1899.

Elmer Bingham shipped to Chicago Friday, through Vincent & Hassenger, the best car of hogs that has left this station for some time. There were 75 of them, all spring pigs, nine months old and averaged 273. They sold in Chicago at \$3.85 and brought him the snug sum of \$745.

O. D. Crumb's house caught fire Monday noon from a defective stove. Mr. Crumb was not at home and his wife was at Mr. Berkalew's. When discovered a hole three, or four feet square had been burned through the floor and the double door curtains and casings were on fire. When put out it had almost reached the partition above the doors.

Mrs. David Brown and son, of Janesville, spent Thursday and Friday at the Waterman house.

President Whitford gives his lecture "Spain and Spaniards" at Shawano on the 7th of February.

Judge Fifield, of Janesville, visited the village, Friday. He is a pleasant gentleman to meet, "off the bench."

The more of a failure a man proves as a farmer, politician, business man or in professional life, the better he seems himself qualified to point out the way to success in all these callings to his neighbor.

O. H. Mills attended a dental examination in Milwaukee last week.

Hon. C. A. Smart, of Ottawa, Kan., a prominent member of the bar and politician of the "Sunflower" state, is in town, visiting his parents. He is of the opinion that the day of the "Pops" is over in Kansas, and that the republicans are in the saddle to stay.

Dr. M. L. Brown has recovered from his recent illness and resumed office work.

Milton republicans are very much pleased with the attitude of the Rock county delegation in the legislature on the senatorial question, being practically a unit for Quarles.

A. O. Gifford is again able to be out and Mrs. Gifford is improving.

Dr. J. H. Burdick is on the sick list at the time we write.

Soverhill & Porter are employing three or four hands in casing export goods at their warehouse in this village.

John Jennings was in town Monday for the first time since the grip caught himself and family.

Miss Craig, of Chicago, will give an elocutionary entertainment here at an early date.

County Line.

County Line, Jan. 24—The farmers are nearly done stripping tobacco and several of them have delivered; others are anxious to do so while the roads are in good shape. We are pleased to learn that Mr. Tronson will reside on the Towne farm next season. The people who now live there will be missed by the majority of our neighbors, but we have to accept the changes as they come, even if we lose our best neighbors by it. They will be remembered by all. In what way we will not venture to say. John Zacharias has his tobacco crop ready to deliver. He sold to Janesville parties and will have a long distance to draw his crop. Two pet deers on the farm of E. Ellison are quite a sight for the young people who never saw any of them before. They are very tame and make nice pets. Our school, under the management of Mr. McCarthy, is a decided success in every way. He has a faculty of getting along nicely with the scholars and also of keeping them interested in their school work. A party of young people met at Andrew Hereids on Saturday evening and had a very pleasant time. Good music and a supper and a sociable time was the order of the evening. Mr. Fowler an old settler in Albion township near the county line died on Friday of last week. He was buried Monday. Mr. Fowler was about eighty-five years of age. He leaves two daughters Mrs. Milford Hayes and Mrs. Rheuben Hartzell, both of Albion township, Dane county. Ed Johnson delivered a nice crop of tobacco in Edgerton last week. He is one of our best tobacco growers and always manages to have a good crop. H. Iverson, George Pomeroy and Andrew Herold sold their tobacco to Tom

Earle, of Edgerton, last week. Mr. Earle knew where to look for three of the best crops in the county, and these three men always put their crop up in nice shape as they are experienced growers. We hear that Charles Nelson delivered over seven hundred dollars worth of fat cattle in Evansville last week. Mr. Butler has sold his farm, which joins the county line, to Mr. Hill, of Albion. From what we hear in regard to Mr. Hill we will be very glad to welcome him as a neighbor. George Wentworth, one of our county line farmers, is about to rent his farm. He has been a very hard worker and a change will probably be good for him. We understand the Pollard farm is to have a new tenant this year. Mr. Benosh has been working the place for some time but intends to move next spring and Mr. Mars will take his place. Wm. Wright, of Porter township, is to work J. Shaw's farm again the coming season. He has worked the same farm for several years. The horse race on the mill pond Sunday drew quite a crowd. The ice was in perfect shape for driving and the weather so warm that we expected to see more people out, but the race was all right. It is unnecessary to say that Joe's horse beat, as both parties are named Joe. We are glad to say that the sick list is decreasing along the line this week. The majority of the people who had the grip are getting better and scarcely any new cases are reported. The men who tipped their wagon over on our corner Saturday night and lost a package of codfish, a horse blanket and a bottle of fire water, can have the same by proving property, paying charges and taking them away. Mrs. Martin Brown is having a nice lot of cord wood cut by some men from Fulton village. A hunting party from Stoughton, consisting of three men and six bottles, shot a rabbit on the big marsh, Monday. They must have been close to him or they could not have seen him. When they come down again they should drink marsh water. Several of our young people attended the theater in Royal Hall last week. They were well pleased with the play and some of the ladies wanted to go again on Saturday night, but this not being leap year, they had to stay at home. The wedding does not come off until Tuesday evening. Will send in the particulars next week. The boys who bought new cutters this winter begin to think they were rushing the season, as they have had no chance to use them. Charles Adolphson is well enough to be out. He drove to Edgerton on Saturday. Mr. Spicer has decided to go to the Klondike. We wish him success wherever he goes.

North Johnstown

North Johnstown, Jan. 24—Florence Aymer, of Richmond, spent Saturday and Sunday with friends here. C. W. Bullock, of Whitewater, visited at W. H. Newton's from Friday until Sunday. Misses Pearl and Nina Tooker, who have been sick with colds a few days, are better. Mrs. Belle Shumway is able to sit up a little. Her sister, Mrs. Lucas, returned to her home in Iowa, Monday. The sneak thief who stole some oysters from the porch at James Sprackling's the first of the week, returned the dishes Wednesday night. Wesley Austin and wife, of Janesville, spent Sunday with their children here. Remember the W. C. T. U. meeting with Mrs. A. O. Roe, Thursday. Harry Walker's family are afflicted with grip. Mrs. Walker is under the doctor's care. Several from this vicinity attended the Farmer's convention at Milton Junction last week and report a good and profitable session. Miss Clara Fox was among the sick ones with grip the first of the week. Mrs. Myrta Gray and her aunt, Miss Lawrence, visited in Milton Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Vera Capman is spending a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. Myrta Bishop. The attendance of the schools in this section is greatly reduced on account of an epidemic of colds. W. H. Gray delivered a fine lot of lambs to Janesville parties Thursday. Ethel Gray visited at the home of her grandmother in Milton the first of last week. The Eureka butter factory near Willard Austin's is now in working order. Ethel Stevens spent Saturday in Milton Junction. Mrs. Eva Newton attended the funeral of her sister Margaret at Milton Junction Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Miles Malone is very dangerously sick with pneumonia.

Atton.

Atton, Jan. 24—At an adjourned meeting of Solid Rock Camp No. 1127, R. N. A., held last Friday afternoon, the newly elected officers for the ensuing year were duly installed, Deputy Supreme Oracle Eva M. Child, of Hanover, acting as installing officer. Those who will serve during the year in an official capacity are as follows: Oracle, Mabel O. Throne; Vice Oracle, Mary L. Bolte; Recorder, Sarah Z. Draht; Receiver, Libbie Griffin; Chancellor, Virginia A. Scott; Marshal, Nellie McCrea; Assistant Marshal, Matilda Lemmerhirt; Inner Sentinel, Amelia Draht; Outer Sentinel, Annie Stark; Past Oracle, Jose Searles; manager, U. G. Waite. In the evening the members of Magnet Camp, R. N. A., of Shopiere, gave a social at the home of Mrs. J. B. Humphrey, who is a member of that camp, to which the neighbors of Solid Rock Camp were invited as guests of honor, and those who availed themselves of the invitation passed a very enjoyable evening. In last week's hunt, the side captained by F. Holzappel came out victorious and partook of oysters at the expense of Captain Waters and

individual points, his score being 20, while those who failed to score at all—well they were too numerous to mention here. The boys are unanimous in saying that game is extremely scarce, and declare that the festive crowd, while very much in evidence on ordinary occasions, is averse to being seen on hunt days and remains in seclusion during the time the black carcass would count five points in the hands of the anxious hunter. Wolves too, had been seen and heard on the marsh southwest of here, but the fact that their bodies would score fifty points in addition to the bounty already hanging over their heads was too much and not one of the sly brutes was seen by the score of men with guns who scored the country for miles around Thursday. The following aggregation partook generously of oysters: F. Holzappel, Wm. Brinkmann, C. J. Rimmer, F. H. Otis, John Brinkmann, Owen Gower, Kay Humphrey, Dick Brinkmann, G. S. Otis, W. L. Miller and Philip Gundel. And here are the boys who also partook generously of the succulent bivalves and incidentally footed the bill: Ed Waters, Len McCre, John Lunn, C. H. Griffen, George Waters, Martin Sprecher, Frank Geeser, Cory Good, George Atchison, and C. H. Marsh. George Cole, of Clear Lake, Iowa, visited friends here the first of the week. Two new applications for adoption were received at the last meeting of Atton Camp No. 2192, M. W. A. It is a good time to join now, for it will bring all new members in line for the big picnic to be held in Beloit next summer. Rev. G. W. Lincoln, of Madison, Baptist missionary for northwestern Wisconsin, occupied the Baptist pulpit here last Sunday morning and evening, preaching two good sermons in his powerful and convincing manner to good congregations.

Magnolia.

Magnolia, Jan. 24—E. B. Worthing becoming tired of the flock of doves that made his barn their home concluded to kill and dress them. While dressing them one of the number was found to have a ring on its leg marked K 24916. Mr. Worthing supposes it to be a stray carrier pigeon which lost its bearings and took up his abode with Mr. Worthing's flock. Word was received here Sunday morning of the death of Mrs. Alvah Marden, of Janesville, for many years they were residents of this town and members of the Methodist church. She was a sister of the late Mrs. Frank Clifford who died here nearly one year ago. Julia Marden was a true christian in every sense of the word, and her old friends are grieved to learn of her death. Little Ruth Acheson who has been sick with scarlet fever is much better. Zita Acheson is on the sick list. Dr. Palmer who has been consulted by Ernest Setzer says the trouble is his stomach and he thinks he can be cured. This is welcome news for Mr. Setzer and his family. On Friday evening, February 3, there will be a literary society meeting held at the school house in District No. 3, Magnolia. Following is the program: Song. America Two-Minute Talk, "Object of Literary Society" R. Scott, Porter Recitation Eva Howard Reading, "Lowell" Paul Mattie Reading, "Lowell" Tillie Acheson Song Mrs. Magnus Recitation Hazel Setzer Paper Edward Acheson and Edna Clifford Graphophone Music E. Setzer Open Debate, "Resolved, That the Indians have suffered more from the hands of the white than the negroes." Critic

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Howard attended the funeral of Rev. A. D. Hendrickson, of Janesville, last Thursday. Eugene Worthing, of Chicago, was called here last Saturday by the dangerous illness of his mother. His brother William is also very sick. Mrs. G. H. Howard and Mrs. Lottie Edwards are on the gain. Mrs. Hannah McCoy and Mrs. Walter Walcott while returning from Evansville were run into by Frank Stark, he being intoxicated. They were thrown from the buggy; there were no bones broken, and they are thankful to have escaped with their lives.

Notices—On January 31, 1899, there will be held at Mrs. Marcia Clifford's a meeting of the West Magnolia Cemetery association for the purpose of electing a clerk in place of Frank Clifford, deceased, and any other business which may come before the association. Meeting to be held at 1 o'clock p. m. G. G. Letts, Pres.

Rock River.

Rock River, Jan. 24—Alf Burdick, of Milton, visited at N. M. Rose's Tuesday. Robert Miller, of Koshkonong, was seen on our streets this week. E. D. Vincent delivered his tobacco at Edgerton Tuesday. Mrs. N. L. Rose and Mrs. Mary Fassett visited relatives at Edgerton Tuesday. A large number of the River people attended the farmer's institute at Milton Junction last week. George Richel went to Edgerton Friday where he will work in the warehouse. Mr. and Mrs. De Forest Butron, of Milton Junction, visited at Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Vincent's one day this week. Little Wesley Loothboro has been quite sick at the home of his grandfather, Marshal Coon, of Milton Junction. Mrs. Rida Hall has traded her house and lot in Whitewater for Bert Raub's farm near Otter Creek. Elbert Maryott has rented his farm to the Orndall brothers. Watson Noyce and Miss Ella Maryott spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Palmer. Last Sunday evening about forty of the friends and neighbors gathered at the home of S. J. Corliss to remind him of his forty-third birthday. It was a genuine surprise.

At 9 o'clock the guests were invited into the dining room, where a sumptuous repast was served. At a late hour all departed for their homes feeling that they had enjoyed themselves greatly and wishing Mr. Corliss many more birthdays.

Emerald Grove.

Emerald Grove, Jan. 24—The funeral services of Mrs. Peter Lorentzen were held in the Congregational church on Sunday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. The services were largely attended, and the floral offerings beautiful. A large number followed the remains to their last resting place. Messrs. Gilbert Larson, Hans Hanson, Carl Larson, Oscar Hanson, Seavert Larson and Jake Hanson acted as pall bearers. Mrs. Jennie Lorentzen died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Westby, of this place, having come from her home in Hudson, Wis., a few weeks ago. Deceased was twenty-nine years old at the time of her death. She leaves a grief-stricken husband and a baby five months old, besides a father and mother, three sisters and one brother to mourn the loss of an affectionate wife and a loving daughter and sister. Priscilla Fitch is on the sick list. We understand one of the Janesville doctors paid eight visits between that city and this place one day last week. There will be a parlor entertainment at the Emerald Grove church on Friday evening, January 27, given by home talent, assisted by Miss Leo Proctor. Admission 10 and 15 cents.

La Prairie.

La Prairie, Jan. 24—And still the fair weather and fine roads continue. Some sweet day a change will take place. Bert Radle has gone to Colorado for his health, and will undoubtedly make his home there. Misses Minnie and Ada Kellogg royally entertained a very select company of young people at their home one evening last week. Mrs. George Goocher is a little on the gain at present. A very young gentleman called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reeder, last week, where he expects to remain. Some school boards wish to know if a school ma'am can attend five all-night entertainments in one week and still do good work in the school room? Mr. Conway's chicken roost was minus sixty chickens last Tuesday morning. The thief does not live so far away but what it would be a very easy matter to lay hold upon him. U. E. Gleason has begun to cut trees for his summer wood. John Brandt has been buying some fine cows at Fort Atkinson. Girls are not so scarce in La Prairie; their absence at the dance at the Grange hall, was due to the timidity of the La Prairie gentlemen and the inclemency of the weather.

Shopiere.

Shopiere, Jan. 24—There are yet a very few in our community that have so far escaped the grip. Some entire families are prostrated. Mrs. Sarah Truesdell has returned to her home after a protracted visit with her sister at Sycamore. The attendance was small at the church services on the Sabbath. The familiar face of Dan Shimeall, of Chicago, has been seen on our streets for several days. Charlie Weirick's little girl came very near having diphtheria on Saturday, but was much better on Sunday. Miss Ella Monahan played the organ for the evening service on Sunday, the regular organist being absent. Mr. Atkinson was taken quite ill on Saturday night. Mrs. Monahan is also under the doctor's care. Miss Susie Brown has been very positive that she would not have the grip, but she has been vanquished at last. Ray Shimeall came home on Saturday evening and returned to Chicago on Monday morning. Mr. Uehling's family entertained some friends from Atton on Sunday.

Newark.

Newark, Jan. 24—Everybody has the grip, or at least they say so if they have a cold. Among those ailing are: Mabel Meade, Roy Meade, Mrs. Cox and Little son, Earl Royce and Oscar Olson. W. Letter has been sick the past week. H. Shjonne is sick. Mrs. Carpenter and little son and daughter, who have been spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. Helen Bartlett and other relatives, left for their home in Iowa, Monday. Byron Burdick has been quite sick for the past week. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. K. N. Logan is ill, with pneumonia. Chris Icher is improving. Mr. Harvey McCaffrey attended the dance at Avon last Friday night. No wonder he was so sleepy next morning. Mrs. Bartlett is gaining slowly. Willie Brandt is spending the week with his sister, Mrs. Lerhkie, at Brodhead. Our industrious store keeper has just received a new line of dry goods and groceries. Call and examine them. The entertainment at the town hall was a success in every way. The cake walk and the darkey songs need special mention. There is talk of erecting a hall in Newark. It is something that would be appreciated by all. Push the good work along.

Barker's Corners.

Barker's Corners, Jan. 24—The Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. Robert Hodge this week on Thursday. The same society will hold a box social at the home of Michael Rabyor, Thursday evening of this week. The proceeds will go to help pay for repairing the church sheds. Miss Esther Swingle, of Whitewater, spent Sunday with Miss Elsie Taylor. Joseph Flagler is in the sick list. Don Chaplin, Jr., of Iowa, is

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Major-General John R. Brooke is one of the most striking figures in Gen. Miles' Staff of Aids—He is a Self-Made Man.

Major General Brooke is one of the most striking figures in the army. He is over 6 feet in height, of massive build and commanding carriage. His head is erect and face stamped with the bronze and suggestion of enduring force. He looks 60 and will be 60 on the 21st of next July. His hair is thick and white, with a weather roughened mustache and kindly eye of blue under brows that are earnest and heavy. A voice at the first moment uninviting by reason of its depth and brusqueness, this conversation is even withal, with little waste of words.

For he is a self-made man, and the aneries of speech have been torn away in the midst of his fight from the bottom up.

Coming from the hardy, honest Pennsylvania people of the mines, the lad started out with a stout heart and a body made to stand storms. And he has stood them, standing gnarled now, but with clean-cut individuality, robustness and balance. Officers in the army who have known General Brooke for thirty years speak of him in such a way as to leave the impression of such a man upon those to whom he is described by these comrades in arms. He looks like a man built for big undertakings, and he realizes that the work ahead of him in Cuba is a big undertaking. He realizes that even his feats in arms and his conspicuous service at Cold Harbor, where he fell wounded, may be eclipsed by the successful fashioning of a new American government out of an old one which had become feverish and tumultuous with revolution from the effects of the corrupt touch of the Spaniard.

"He is a fine officer," Adjutant General Corbin is reported to have said, "well equipped in every way, even for the novel and arduous duties ahead of him; a man of genial heart, knowledge of men and affairs, and should win the respect and confidence of all classes among whom his influence will be felt."

"General Brooke," said General Miles, "belonged to the Second corps, was a fine soldier, was wounded at Cold Harbor and served on the frontier. He will do what is expected of him."

Colonel Edgar S. Dudley, who, as quartermaster, was thrown closely with General Brooke during his command in the Platte region, spoke of General Brooke as a man who "distinctly insisted on being acquainted with all the details of the command. He was not satisfied with commanding merely, he covered operations for which he was responsible from the bottom up. While not a strict disciplinarian, he held his staff officers to strict accountability. And yet, on ac-



GEN. BROOKE.

count of a strong personal magnetism, he was popular with staff officers as well as with those who came to know him.

"He is a man who, I believe, will bring together and adjust and harmonize all the elements of the island of Cuba—Spaniards, Cubans and soldiers."

And yet General Brooke is not without a restrained impulsiveness, carried to an extreme which, while not leaving the impression of a phlegmatic man, yet impresses one with a sense of even-mindedness and common sense.

General Brooke is a soldier by temperament and choice; he was a leader among boys, and his way has been gradually and constantly up among men. He was appointed from Pennsylvania and retired July 21, 1902. He was made captain of the Fourth Pennsylvania infantry on April 20, 1861, being honorably mustered out July 26, 1861. He was made colonel of the Fifty-third Pennsylvania Nov. 7, 1861, and served through the war. On May 12, 1864, he was made brigadier general for specific distinguished service. He was brevetted major general of volunteers Aug. 1, 1864, for gallant

and meritorious services in the battles of Tolopotomy and Cold Harbor.

He has had three commissions in the regular army: Lieutenant colonel, Thirty-seventh infantry, July 28, 1866; transferred to Third infantry, March 15, 1869; colonel Thirteenth infantry, March 20, 1879; transferred to Third infantry, June 14, 1879; brigadier general, April 6, 1888; brevetted colonel, March 2, 1867, for gallant and meritorious services in the battle of Gettysburg, and brigadier general, March 2, 1867, for gallant and meritorious services in the battle of Spottsylvania courthouse.

General Brooke has had an exceptionally varied experience as commander of posts, which, it is believed, will add to his natural qualifications to fill the position he is just about to assume.

His services in the regular army embrace his command of the post of Fort Union, N. M., to July, 1868; of Fort Stanton, from September to November, 1868; of regiment and post at Fort Dodge, to January, 1871; of Fort Lyon, Col., to January, 1873; of Fort Supply, I. T., to July, 1874; at Holly Springs, Miss., to August, 1874; at New Orleans, to March, 1875; at Jackson Barracks, La., commanding regiment and post, to June, 1876; at Baton Rouge, to November, 1876; at New Orleans, commanding battalion of regiment, to April, 1877; at Jackson Barracks, La., to May, 1877; at Huntsville, Ala., and commanding post, to June, 1877; on duty with General Hancock, to August, 1877; at Helena Barracks, Mont., commanding regiment and post and the district of Montana, to June, 1878; at camp on Marias river, Montana, and at Fort Shaw, Mont., commanding regiment and district of Montana, to June, 1881; at Springfield armory, Mass., and in New York city, president of magazine gun board, to October, 1882; at Fort Shaw, Mont., commanding regiment and post and district of Montana, to April, 1888; commanding department of the Platte, to March, 1895; department of Dakota, to April, 1897; department of Missouri, to April, 1898; commanding provisional army corps at Chickamauga park to July, 1898, and United States troops in Porto Rico, department of Porto Rico, to December, 1898; member of United States commission for the evacuation of Porto Rico by Spanish troops.

Annual Convention, National Creamery Buttermakers' Association, Sioux Falls, S. Dak., Jan. 23-29.

On account of the above, excursion tickets to Sioux Falls, via the North-Western Line, will be sold January 21-24, good until January 31, 1899, at greatly reduced rates. Apply to agents for full particulars.

NEWS FROM THE COUNTY

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visiting at Arthur Russell's. Miss Hattie Dutton has been spending the past week at Chauncey Shibley's. Fred Sears and wife, of Monticello, visited friends in this vicinity last week. The Dutton boys have purchased a feed grinder and corn sheller. They had some trouble in getting it to work at first but the proprietor of Jockey Hollow had one grist ground and is well pleased, and thinks that Tinker Hill is getting quite progressive. A large number from around here attended the Farmers' Institute at Milton Junction, and all report good speaking and time well spent.

Johnstown Center.

Johnstown Center, Jan. 24.—Many of the farmers from Johnstown Center and vicinity drew their tobacco to Janesville last week. Mrs. Charles Stoller visited Mrs. Elmer Bingham, of Six Corners, last week. Miss Ada Fellows has taken up her abode at Janesville for the present. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Millard have a little son. Times are rather dull at present and news is very scarce. People are taking advantage of the mild weather and getting a good supply of wood, in view of what the weather may be. Mr. Wallace Tutts still goes about on crutches. That dreaded disease "La Grippe," seems to be going the rounds and no one knows who is to be the next victim. Better try your luck in drawing a prize at F. D. Hall's. Clocks, pens, music boxes, pencils, collar buttons, anything and everything to please you. Mrs. Jennette Nott, of Richmond, visited her niece, Mrs. G. M. Chandler, last week.

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THE GIRL SAID "NO."

An Unusual Scene in a Pennsylvania Church.

A marriage was suddenly interrupted at St. Catherine's church, Moscow, a short distance from Scranton, on Saturday morning, by the bride, Miss Margaret Moore, refusing to say the fateful "yes" at the proper time. For miles around in the Pocono mountain region the friends of Miss Moore and Timothy Foley had assembled to see the young couple married. The pastor of St. Catherine's, the Rev. R. H. Walsh, stood waiting at the altar rail as the bridal party arrived. The bride looked charming. She was attended by her niece, Miss Foley, and the bridegroom's best man was Frank Daugherty, a jury commissioner, of Lackawanna county. Mr. Foley had already made his solemn vow, and the officiating priest asked: "Will you, Margaret Moore, take Timothy Foley to be your lawful husband?" Instead of answering, the young woman inquired: "Is

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building of a shattered nervous system, but without benefit, until a friend advised Dr. Miles' Nervine and Tonic with the result that today I am a new being, full of vigor and strength, entirely restored to health and happiness by those wonderful remedies. I can heartily recommend them to everyone suffering general debility from any cause, knowing full well they will find in them new life, new hope, new health, and strength."

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS—State of Wisconsin—County Court for Rock County—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the regular term of the County Court to be held in and for said county, at the Court House, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of Sept. A. D. 1899, being Sept. 5, 1899, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted: All claims against Charles T. Wilcox late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased. All such claims must be presented for allowance to said Court at the Court House, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 10th day of July, A. D. 1899, or be barred.—Dated January 10, 1899. By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

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THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1712—Frederick the Great born in Berlin; died at Sans Souci 1788.
1732—Pierre A. Caronde Beaumarchais, musical composer, born; died 1799.
1733—Benjamin Lincoln, American Revolutionary general, born in Framingham, Mass.; died there 1810. Gen. Lincoln.
1870—The United States warship Onondaga run down off Yokohama by the British merchant steamer Bombay; 29 officers and 150 of the crew lost.
1893—General Charles Pomeroy Stone died in New York city, born in Greenfield, Mass., Sept. 20, 1824.
1897—Mrs. Hungerford, famous as a British novelist, under the nom de plume The Duchess, died in Dublin.
1898—Battleship Maine ordered to proceed to Havana.



MR. COOPER'S GOOD WORK.

A Washington dispatch to the Milwaukee Sentinel says: "Although Representative Cooper failed to be made chairman of the River and Harbor committee, he remained a member of it, and his work, coupled with the industry of the Wisconsin members of the house, brought a handsome recognition of the interests of the state in the important measure, which has been agreed upon and will be reported on Monday. Wisconsin never got a more splendid showing in a bill of this kind, every request made by the members being granted except that at South Milwaukee, which failed to get in, but Mr. Otjen expects to get the item in before the bill is passed, and he is practically certain to win."

"Milwaukee harbor gets \$50,000 on a renewed continuous contract of \$155,650 and \$14,000 for the harbor proper. The most marked feature of the work for Wisconsin in the bill is the number of continuous contracts granted and provisions for deepening the harbors along the lake."

"Kenosha gets 50,000, a continuous contract for a breakwater 800 feet long, and a channel twenty-one feet deep, the breakwater to cost \$80,000 and the harbor work to cost \$125,000."

"Racine gets \$50,000 as a straight appropriation, with a continuous contract to complete the entire improvement of building a breakwater to cost \$66,000, the remainder of \$177,650 being for deepening the harbor to twenty-one feet."

One of the stockholders in The Janesville Recorder is a very small pin in the Rose machine at Milwaukee. Therefore, in order, that his cake may not be turned to dough, the opinions of The Recorder must necessarily be modeled after the views of the Rose ring, and the aforementioned pin. And if The Recorder gets things somewhat mixed, why, do not charge it to ignorance or carelessness, but remember that the trouble may lie in the long distance telephone. Therefore, The Gazette, does not feel bad because The Recorder sees fit to print a lot of tommyrot about this paper. We have neither fear, admiration nor respect for the Rose machine and consider the source of the mouthings of its various cogs, levers, cranks and wheels.

As J. M. Barrie says "Money may always be a beautiful thing. It is we who make it grimy." Some people think every rich man corrupt but the critics are as liable to be narrow minded, and to bear false witness, as the other is likely to be a scoundrel. There are always two sides to a plank and a story, and a half told truth is often a cruel falsehood.

"To continue the deadlock at Madison is pure boy's play" said an exceptionally well known Janesville man today. "All the senatorial candidates have backing in this city, and any one of them will be an acceptable senator."

It is necessary that the local organ of the Rose machine should carry a hammer—not only to pound people with, but also to tinker up the machine when a hitch occurs.

COMING DRAMATIC EVENTS

A Goodly Array of Entertainments Promised for the Future

Manager Myers has succeeded in securing a number of first class attractions for the remainder of the opera house season, some of which seldom come to as small a city as Janesville. Those thus far positively secured are:

Wednesday, Jan. 25—"Finnigan's 400."

Saturday, February 4—Uncle Tom's Cabin.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, February 6, 7 and 8, the Blondells in "A Cheerful Idiot," "A Jay On Broadway," and Katzenjammer's Kids.

Saturday, February 11—"Shore Acres."

Wednesday, February 15—Phinney's United States Band.

Friday, February 17—Side Tracked.

Monday, February 27—Clay Clement.

Friday, March 17—Robert Mantell.

Monday, April 3—"What Happened to Jones."

Tuesday, April 11—Fanny Rice.

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THE VETERAN TALKS.

TELLS THE BOYS A POKER STORY THAT IS DECIDEDLY INTERESTING.

And Is Rendered All the More So by the Way He Tells It—A Good, Stiff Game and Some Very Remarkable Hands.

There was a party of four sitting at a small table in the rear of a prominent saloon in Walnut street. Spell that saloon with one o, please, for it sounds eminently Frenchy and aristocratic. In the crowd was the veteran, and he is a veteran in more ways than one. He grew reminiscent, a characteristic of veterans. The younger men led him on. In fact, they always did when opportunity offered, for they were sure of a good story. The subject was draw poker, and the veteran said:

"Yes, I've been in some putty stiff games, and it was when we played with the stuff, the long green, 'ante what you please and raise what you please and go for all in sight after the draw with the money right there on the table; no ivories, no nothing, 'cept money."

"If I remember rightly, there was a lumberman from Sandy here, and a sawmill man from Ironston, and a grocer from Portsmouth, and a liquor man from Maysville and me in the game. It was down at the Spencer House."

"I can't tell you how we got mixed in the game, for that would spoil the story. But we were in it, and I remember the money was on the table in heaps until the hands came out that broke up the sitting. Boys, I never saw such hands before nor since. I never did, and if I live to be a million I'll never see the like again."

"It just went around in the usual way with nothing peculiar about the ante or the raises till after the draw. Then every son of a gun about the table kinder hunched up a little closer and looked peerier than ever. I knowed there was trouble coming. Every feller raised, and when it got around to the starter he saw all of 'em and raised with about half his pile. Never mind the amounts. Hundred dollar bills were laying around on that table like white chips now, only more plenty, and every man in the crowd had his roll in his inside pocket besides. And before it went very far they came out and some bigger bills than centuries got common, too, but every one of the crowd seemed to think it was all his when the show down come. I knowed I had 'em, for four kings was hard to beat when you had an ace in the discard. Straight flushes? Not on your life. They weren't played then."

"It's getting interesting," said the Maysville man. "Let's take an account of stock."

"There was \$27,000 on the table, not counting the odd bills of a hundred and under, and every one of the five was about equally interested in the pot. Of course, we could have gone along for awhile by making checks or markers, but checks on out of town banks are a dead give away when they get home, and the men from up the river didn't want anything of that kind. So we just made an agreement to show down and let the thing go."

"What do you think was the end? You couldn't guess. Now, remember, every man was a straightforward business man, and during the game there wasn't an outsider in the room and the cards had never been changed during the whole game."

"Every feller laid down four kings and every one swore he had discarded an ace."

"Just then my wife pushed me in my back with her knee and waked me up and said I was all in a cold sweat and wanted to know whether I had a chill, as I was shaking like a scared dog. And after that I never eat one of them Welsh rabbits with mince pie and went to bed right afterward."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

He Knows Her.

She—Who is that frightful looking woman behind you who is talking with a man?

He—It's my wife.

She—But you haven't looked around to see whom I mean!

He—Oh, your description is enough!—Das Kleine Witzblatt.

Atmosphere.

Friend (criticizing picture)—Your winter effect is excellent. It fairly makes one shiver to look at it.

Artist—No wonder, old man. I began that picture in December and had to pawn my overcoat to buy the canvas.—Town Topics.

No Cause For Alarm.

"Look here," said the barber to the restless man in the chair, "if you don't keep still I'm liable to cut your throat."

"Oh, I'm not afraid of that," replied the helpless victim, "as long as you continue to use that razor."—Chicago News.

The Sequence of Events.

"The doctors had a consultation yesterday."

"What was the result?"

"I understand that the family lawyers are now in secret session."—Brooklyn Life.

Another Instance.

"Maud says she is madly in love with her new wheel."

"Huh! Another case where man is displaced by machinery!"—Indianapolis Journal.

Breaking Records.

Mr. Flatt—It doesn't take Delia half as long to wash the dishes as it used to.

Mrs. Flatt (wearily)—There isn't half as many now.—New York Journal.

Crowded Out.

When first they wed, she gives him half the clothes hooks for his share.

But it isn't long till he has to hang his pants on the back of a chair.

—L. A. W. Bulletin.

CITY OF SALT.

There is a city built of salt in Austria so large that it would take three weeks to visit its every portion. Men have worked in its hollows for centuries. It is in the center of the Galician salt industry. For 1,000 years the workers of the salt mines have been busy turning this underground city into a dream of ballrooms, chapels, altars, restaurants, railways, chandeliers, staircases and pillars. The length of the city is nearly three miles.

Visitors to the salt city can descend by a sloping staircase or an elevator. The ballroom in which the visitor finds himself is immense, with solid mural decorations, galleries and stalwart pillars, as well as shining chandeliers. Since 1750, when it was dedicated, it has witnessed many memorable scenes. On one end of the room a colossal Austrian eagle is painted on the slabs of salt.

St. Anthony's chapel, next the ballroom, has been the resort of thousands of the faithful since it was built in 1698. Beautifully carved shrines ornament the room.

Descending from the first floor to the next the visitor is fascinated by the beautiful sight of the giant chamber "Michalowitz," finished in 1761, after forty years of labor. It is 59 feet long, 92 broad and 118 high—the roof supported by a wooden framework to avoid disaster. A salt chandelier of 300 lights gleams in the center.

The third floor of the salt mine contains the restaurant and railway station. Twenty-five miles of railway from all parts of the mine join here, and the buffet is well patronized by the thousands of visitors.

BET 1,000 KISSES AND LOST.

Miss Lucy Withers of Golden, Kas., who is an admirer of Jerry Simpson, bet 1,000 kisses against \$1,000 worth of steers on the sockless statesman's success in the recent election. She lost and is now paying the bet on the installment plan, the fortunate young



MISS LUCY WITHERS, ranchman who won coming around each week collecting twenty kisses. Miss Withers is a young school teacher.—Chicago News.

Honors for Literary Men.

Honors for literary men are rare. There was Scott's baronetcy; he wanted it (as a man of family with feudal principles, not as a man of letters) and he got it. The sheriff was knightly by nature, and they gave him his spurs. It is probable that several men of letters have managed to decline official honors. When Lord Tennyson accepted gracefully what his sovereign graciously and gratefully gave, some literary persons "hoood" at him. The great poet neither coveted nor churlishly refused official recognition. To him the matter, we may believe, was purely indifferent. And it really is indifferent to most men of letters. Knighthoods, as a common rule, come to the be-knighted because of their much asking, except when they come in an official routine in the public service. Having nothing official about us, having no routine, we cannot look to receiving ribbons and orders. And I hope, we cannot be expected to sue, and pester, and hint, and intrigue for bits of ribbons! Is it not agreeable to be out of that kind of work, to pull no strings, to solicit no academical for his vote and interest? Am I to envy my college contemporaries, who, being of a certain seniority in the public service, blossom into K. C. B.'s?—North American Review.

MYERS GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Peter L. Myers, M'g'r.

Playing only leading stars and combinations

Wednesday Evening, Jan. 25th,

Return of the Favorites

ARE YOU WITH US?

There may be others but they are not in town

MURRAY & MACK

Presenting their latest

laughing jubilee,

Finnigan's '400'

Regular rices 25, 35, 50

and 75 cents.

Sale opens Tuesday morn-

ing at 10 o'clock.

Two Hundred And Forty Pairs of... **240 SAMPLES** In Ladies' Fine Shoes.. \$1.98

Can novelties including blacks, tans, and patent leathers, sizes ranging nicely from 2 1/2 to 4 1/2 and 5 on a great many styles of lasts, in A, A, B. These Shoes, are regular \$3.50, \$4.00 \$5.00 grade. To CLOSE OUT AT.....

We Are Making Special Efforts to reach you with the best things in the market. Our methods of SPOT CASH dealing, enables us to secure for your benefits this remarkable lot of high grade shoemaking, containing all the most original and newest up-to-date features of present day footwear.

SPENCER. "The Newest." On the Bridge.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce Are Reported for The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market, corrected by H. Pump & Son:

Flour—Good to best Patent, 90 to \$1.05 per sack.

Wheat—Fair to best quality \$0.80@.85.

BUCKWHEAT \$1.00@1.20 per 100.

RYE—In request at \$0.55@.60 per 100.

BARLEY—Ranges at \$0.40@.45, according to quality.

EAR CORN—New, 2 ton, \$0.50 to 1.00.

CLAY WHITE, 20@25.

CLOVER SEED—\$3.00@3.50 per bushel.

TIMOTHY SEED—\$0.80@1.00 per bushel.

MEAL—75c@1.00 a ton; \$13.00@14.00.

FEED—70c@100 lbs.; \$13.00@14.00.

BRAN—70c@100 lbs.; \$13.00@14.00.

MIDDINGS—70c@100 lbs.; \$13.00@14.00.

HAY—Timothy \$10.00@11.00; other kinds, \$8.00@10.00.

STRAW—\$4.00@4.50 per ton.

POTATOES—60c@.65 per bushel.

BEANS—70c@.80 per bushel.

BUTTER—19c@20c.

EGGS—20c@21c per dozen.

POULTRY—Turkeys, 9c@10c. Chickens, 7c@8c.

WOOL—15c@20c for washed; 15c@18c for unwashed.

HIDES—Green, 8c@10c; dry, 6c@10c.

PELTS—Range at 30c@75c each.

LIVE STOCK—Cattle \$3.00@4.75 per 100 lbs; hogs, \$2.75@3.50 per 100.

La Normandie Is Overdue.

New York, Jan. 24.—No news has been received of the French line steamship La Normandie. She left Havre at noon a week ago last Saturday, and was due to reach this port Saturday evening or Sunday morning at the latest. The Havre is commanded by Capt. Fajolle.

WANTED

WANTED—Competent girl for general house work. Enquire of Mrs. F. Fifield, 201 N. Jackson street.

WANTED—By two young men, two or three furnished rooms centrally located and with modern improvements. Address Lock Box 1442.

WANTED—Competent girl, for two in family. Enquire at Thoroughgood & Co's office.

FOR SALE—Gent's bicycle good as new. Price \$14. Address W. Gazette.

FOR SALE—Fine grocery, well located, low rent, stock and fixtures \$2,500. A splendid chance. Address Grocer care Gazette.

FOR RENT—The Highland House, Jan. 1, 1899. Call or address Angie J. King, Atty., No. 25 West Milwaukee street, first stairs west of post office.

FOR RENT—House on Cornelia street. Enquire at 138 Cornelia street, second ward.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the Court House, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 21st day of February, 1899, at 2 o'clock a. m. the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Fannie Kimball for the adjustment and allowance of her account as executor of the will of Sarah Clough, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to such other persons as by law and the will of said deceased are entitled thereto.—Dated Jan. 20th 1899.

By the Court: J. W. BAILE, County Judge.

TRAVELING BAGS.

Dress Suit Cases, Trunks, etc. Special low prices at

SELKIRK'S,

15 S. Main St., Janesville.

All my goods are from honest leathers.

No More Expense

20 quart tickets for \$1.00

And you will find the difference enough to be worth twice the price. Bottles are boiled and sterilized after each using. Order from wagon or at C. A. Thompson's grocery, Grubb block, phone 207.

J. F. BEMIS.

PARTICULAR

TEA.

The best leaves of the tea plant are used in the highest grade of tea and the remainder of the plant goes into the cheaper teas. We have just received a large invoice of the Finest Tea ever brought to the city. It sells at \$1.00 per pound and, when the strength and flavor are considered it is cheaper to use than lower priced tea. We have it both in Japan and Oolong growth. It is all from the selected tea leaves and is the height of culture.

Free Coupons with all purchases.

BEMIS' CHINA TEA STORE.

Telephone, No. 82.

RIDER'S

RACKET STORE.

Pearl Top Lamp Chimneys,

No. 1, 4c; No. 2, 5c.

Opal Nest Eggs, 3 for 5c

Japanese covered Mustard Pot, 5c

Japanese Blue Cup and Saucer, 5c

Ornamental Folding Japanese Screen, 25c

10 ounce steel Carpet Tacks, 600 for 5c

See our Little Misses' Carpet Sweepers that will sweep; three sizes; we sell them cheap.

163 W. Milwaukee Street.

H. HOFFMASTER & SON. 18 South Main Street.

Going OUT OF Business.

Dress Goods, Dress trimmings, Silks, Laces, Cloaks, Damask curtains, Chenile curtains, Lace curtains, Domestics, Corsets, Hosiery, Kid Gloves, Blankets, Comfortables, Muslin Und'rwr, Table Linens, Towels, Silk and Wool Skirts, Silk and wool Waists, Roller curtains, Draperies.

Every article in store must be sold at cost and less. Now is the time to secure bargains before stock is broken.

Must be closed out in 60 days.

if prices will do it. Also fixtures including steel safe, all at bargain prices.

H. Hoffmaster & Son.

Our Sole In business is to save the

Purpose purchaser money.

There are Savers in plenty here.

Paine's Celery Compound 85c

Hood's Sarsaparilla 75c

Carter's Little Liver Pills 15c

Alcock's Porus Plasters 15c

Sulphur, for stock, per lb 05c

1-qt bottle Laundry Ammonia 10c

Warner's Safe Cure 1 00

1-qt Prussian Lice Killer, per can 50c

2-qt package Prussian Stock Food 50c

Prussian Spavin Cure 75c

Prussian Worm Powder 50c

Nursing Bottles, complete 10c

Breast Pumps, complete 25c

Derby Syring, complete 35c

2 bars Turkish Bath Soap 05c

2 bars Oil of Tar Soap 05c

Garfield Tea 20c

Fresh Eggs 20c

Very best Creamery Butter only 20c

Choice Dairy Butter 18c

THE BOSTON STORE.

South River Street.

J. B. SMITH.

Working Men's

CLOTHING..

at Working Men's Prices.

We have a very large line of these goods at low figures.

A fine line of Apron Overalls at 50c.

Strong, Never-Rip Work Pants, fine assortment, 99c.

Work Jackets, well made, 50c.

Heavy Wool Lined Duck Coats, 90c.

GETS SENTENCE FOR BURGLARY

BENJ. HARDING GOES TO PRISON FOR TWO YEARS.

Pleaded Guilty to the Charge of Burglary in the Washington Barrage Saloon—Judge Fifelet Gives Him a Lecture Before Committing Him—Was Much Affected.

With about as little indifference as any man possibly could possess, Benjamin F. Harding, of 159 North Jackson street, stood before the bar of justice in the municipal court this morning and pleaded guilty to the charge of burglarizing the Washington Barrage saloon at No. 14 North Main street on the night of Jan. 16. The court then sentenced the defendant to the states prison for two years at hard labor, such sentence to commence at 12 o'clock noon today.

From the time Harding first entered the court room in custody of Sheriff Appelly till he returned to jail he seemed to be but little impressed with his surroundings. He was neatly attired, and looked far from being one guilty of such a crime. He had no counsel, and when asked by the court whether he pleaded guilty or not guilty to the charge in the information he merely said, "Guilty." When asked if he had anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced, Harding merely shook his head, saying: "No, sir."

The court then administered a lengthy talk to the prisoner will do well to follow after his release from prison. To questions put to Harding he replied in a low tone of voice that he was thirty-two years of age, unmarried, and that never before was he before the court for an offence. He stated that he lived with a widowed mother in this city, and that he had resided here a little over a year. He said he had been a drinking man, and that he was not sober when he entered the Barrage saloon.

Judge Fifelet then told the prisoner that the offense to which he had pleaded guilty was punishable by confinement in the state's prison for from one to five years, and that in fixing sentence the court would take into consideration the fact that the prisoner was never before convicted of a crime in any form, and also that he pleaded guilty, thus saving the county the expense of a trial. Harding was also made to realize that he was still a young man, and that plenty of time was before him to allow him to make of himself a good man, and that if he had any regard for his mother and his friends it should have caused him to think before he committed the crime.

"Your mother would probably rather see you dead than to see you where you are today," said the court, "and if you are ever tempted again it is to be hoped that you will think first of her, for the only way to live is an honest way."

The defendant was moved more by the kindly advice given him than by the sentence, and during the time he stood before the bar of justice he nervously pulled at his mustache with downcast eyes.

HE RESUMES HIS PRACTICE

Dr. Dudley Has Come Back To Stay After His Season's Outing.

Dr. E. H. Dudley has returned to this city to stay. For several months past he and Mrs. Dudley have been enjoying an outing in the south, and some of the incidents of their trip by land and water have been published in The Gazette. The doctor has rented suite 8 in the Lappin block, where he will be glad to see his old friends and patients who are in need of his services. He has been a resident and practicing physician in Janesville for ten years, and enjoys an enviable reputation in his profession.

LOCOMOTIVE LEFT THE TRACK

Considerable Havoc Created in the Local Yards Today

Owing to a break in her machinery one of the large locomotives on the Chicago & Northwestern railroad left the track in the yards today, causing considerable commotion for the time being. The iron monster was in charge of Engineer Thomas Riley, formerly of this city but now a resident of Chicago. On leaving the rails she ran for several feet, but did not turn over, and the damage can be easily repaired.

The wrecking crew was called out and it took considerable time to place the engine again on the rails.

WAS KNOWN IN JANEVILLE

One of the Victims of the Paul Jones Wreck Has Relatives Here

One of the young ladies who was lost on the yacht Paul Jones in the Gulf of Mexico recently was Miss Taggart, a relative of Mrs. W. S. Jeffris, of this city. Miss Taggart's mother and the mother of Mrs. Jeffris were first cousins. Although Miss Taggart had never visited Janesville the two families were on intimate terms, and kept up a correspondence for many years.

PARTY BY THE IMPERIAL BAND

It Was One of the Most Successful Social Events of the Season

The dance given at the Armory last evening by the Imperial band was an unbounded success. There were nearly a hundred couple present. The band furnished the music for the two-step, and during the remainder of the evening Smith's orchestra played. There was not the slightest hitch during the evening, and all present united in declaring the affair all that could be desired. Much credit is due the committee of arrangements, which consisted of George L. Hatch, Collin Samuels and John Koe-

belin. The floor was in charge of Chas. Knelt, Will Menzies, John Koebelin and Collin Samuels.

The party broke up at 1 o'clock this morning.

GEORGE M'KERROW IS KILLED

Son of the Conductor of the Farm Institute Meets a Horrible Death

A shocking accident occurred at Brookfield Junction yesterday morning, whereby George McKerrrow, Jr., son of the superintendent of farm institutes, George McKerrrow, well known throughout this section of the state, met instant death. The boy and his father came from their home in Lisbon to Peawaukee yesterday morning, and then separated—Mr. McKerrrow to take a train for Madison, and George to go to Waukesha by way of Brookfield to resume his studies in college. At Brookfield he met a son of ex-Sheriff Chris. Gaynor, and since they were too late to

MR. ROTHSTEIN AGAINST F. L. QUATSOE.

The Alleged Facts.

By "the only democratic daily in the First congressional district" 2x4 which appeared under dates of Dec. 30 and Jan. 10,

WILL SUE FOR SALARY.

M. H. Rothstein Claims That F. L. Quatsoe Owes Him \$350 Salary.

ALSO THAT HE IS DISCHARGED

Clerk Brings Suit in the Municipal Court to Recover His Money—Pump Handle Once More in Evidence.

What do you think of a business man who will keep a clerk in his employ until he owes him \$350 back salary and then discharges him without settling?

And what do you think of a clerk who would work that long without a settlement of his account?

M. H. Rothstein was in the employ of F. L. Quatsoe, the shoe dealer. On Wednesday, December 21, he claimed he was discharged. He also alleges that Mr. Quatsoe is indebted to him in the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars for back salary. Today in the municipal court he will bring suit against his former employer to recover the amount he claims to be his due.

Mr. Rothstein alleges that he had a verbal contract with his employer by which he was to enter his employ for a year. The first month he was to receive \$12 per week; the next two months, \$15 per week, and the balance of the year \$18 per week; that he entered on his duties April 13, last.

Mr. Rothstein further alleges that dishes used by his employer as gifts to purchasers were broken on arriving here; that he unpacked the box and found them broken, and that they were charged to him, and he has credited Mr. Quatsoe in his account for fifty-one cents for the broken crockery that he did not break.

Mr. Rothstein further alleges that Mr. Quatsoe charged him \$1.75 for a broken pump handle, with which he has also credited his employer; then there was \$2.50 for a halter, over which there was some dispute, and he is given credit for that; and still Mr. Quatsoe owes him in the neighborhood of \$350.

Mr. Rothstein certainly put in good time while in the employ of Mr. Quatsoe. He was often seen long after the midnight hour engaged in decorating the windows of the store, and to a man up a tree it would seem that he earned his salary, whatever he got, or rather, didn't get.

William G. Wheeler will appear in the interest of Mr. Quatsoe, and Wilson Lane for Mr. Rothstein.

In the municipal court yesterday the case of M. H. Rothstein against F. L. Quatsoe came up. W. G. Wheeler, attorney for the defendant, made an offer in court to settle with the plaintiff by paying \$22 and the costs, but the plaintiff spurned the offer. It is claimed that Attorney Wheeler offered the plaintiff \$104 to settle. The case was continued until Saturday, January 14.

In reply to the above alleged fact that of offering the plaintiff \$104 to settle, I wish to say that this was absolutely untrue and without foundation, to say that all these alleged facts came to the only democratic daily of the First congressional district, 2x4.

Take a passenger train, the boys decided to board a moving freight train. Young Gaynor went to the rear of the train and succeeded in safely boarding the caboose, but McKerrrow, taking the front end of the caboose, slipped and fell underneath the wheels. The car nearly cut him in two at the waist. The body was not otherwise mutilated. A dispatch was sent to Mr. McKerrrow at Peawaukee, who hastened to the scene of the accident.

PYTHIANS INSTALL OFFICERS

Deputy Grand Chancellor Performed the Ceremony Last Evening

At a meeting of Oriental Lodge No. 22, Knights of Pythias last evening, Deputy Grand Chancellor F. A. Baker, of Evansville, installed the following officers:

C. C.—H. D. Murdock.
V. C.—M. O. Mouat.
Prel.—S. B. Heddles.
M. of E.—J. G. Rorford.
M. of F.—B. H. Baldwin.
K. of R.—C. C. Russell.
M. of A.—E. H. Murdock.
M. of W.—F. C. Haselton.
I. G.—E. A. Hyde.
O. G.—E. D. Roberts.

The third rank was conferred on Justice M. P. Richardson, followed by a banquet.

FRANK'S company of entertainers is but one of the features of the Burns anniversary, Jan. 30.

THEY BALLOT AGAIN WITHOUT RESULT

SENATORIAL CONTEST AT MADISON SHOWS NO CHANGE.

A Formal Ballot Taken in the Legislature Today Which Leaves the Contest in Statu Quo—Anti-Pass Bill Introduced—Proposed Increase of Tax on Insurance Companies.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 24.—[Special.]—Assemblyman Hall introduced an anti-pass bill this morning founded on the New York law. The measure is much the same as he introduced two years ago, except that it will be enacted as a law instead of providing for a constitutional amendment. Under this measure the public official accepting passes may

The Real Facts.

As cited by F. L. Quatsoe and sustained by the municipal court, in which the plaintiff was allowed \$7.14, which represents four days subsequent to his discharge which took place on Tuesday for which time he was allowed to complete his work.

It gives us great pleasure to note how much interest the only democratic daily in the First Congressional district 2x4 has manifested in our welfare. Sorry it has caused them so much sleeplessness. Would advise them to take Hood's until they recover and wear the Quatsoe shoes to rest their feet.

There has been a wonderful increase in our business. How could it be other wise when you stop to think of how well the only Democratic Daily in the First Congressional District 2x4 has kept us before the people, repeatedly telling the public that the action brought against us was for wages alleged to be due. Sorry we can't advertise with them and in that way reciprocate, but as an appreciation of the free advertising they have given us we would be willing to buy them new type so that they can continue to advocate that the suit against us was for wages, with the proviso that they will state the facts of the case a little closer. Sorry they were so shortsighted that they couldn't see that they were wearing out their press, type, and wasting their ink, printing the words that the suit against us was for wages.

The only democratic daily in the First congressional district, 2x4, has evidently failed to convince the court that this man was discharged without settlement we still continue to undersell and as long as the only democratic daily of the First Congressional district 2x4 is willing to give us free advertising we are enabled to sell still cheaper than ever before.

The great January clearing sale is now going on. Don't miss it, sweeping price reductions have been made. Sale ends Jan. 31st, F. L. Quatsoe, advertiser of facts.

Men's fine satin calf shoes, all leather lined, new round toe, heavy soles, good value at \$3.00; clearing sale price \$2.00.

Men's fine box calf shoes, hand sewed, new round toe, all leather lined, all sizes, good value at \$5.00; clearing sale price \$3.50.

Ladies' fine vicid kid shoes, lace or button, either style, new round toe, all sizes, pliable soles and extension soles, good value at \$3.00; clearing sale price \$2.00.

Ladies' fine kid hand-turned soles, button or lace, all sizes, good value at \$4.00; clearing sale price \$3.00.

Now is your opportunity to buy, come in and be convinced. F. L. Quatsoe, advertiser of facts.

lose his office on suit of the attorney general, and is also liable to a fine.

Assemblyman Orton introduced two bills to increase the tax on insurance companies.

Both houses formally voted on United States senator this morning. The republicans voted the same as in caucus, and the democrats gave a complimentary vote to Ryan.

Senator Bennett introduced a joint resolution urging congress to consider the matter of electing United States senators by a vote of the people. Both houses adjourned until tomorrow.

In the republican joint caucus immediately following the session eleven ballots were taken, each with the same result. The only change from last night was that Assemblyman Anderson, of Dane county, changed from Quarles to Cook, and that the absentees had returned, except Holcomb, a Quarles man. The thirty-eighth ballot resulted: Quarles 40, Stephenson 26, Babcock 17, Cook 18, Webb 10. A recess was then taken until 3 p. m., by a vote of 46 to 45.

On the first ballot in the afternoon Anderson went back to the Quarles camp.

There was no change on the thirty-eighth ballot. Voting will probably continue all the afternoon.

Those desiring tickets for the N. O. W. club's masque ball in advance can get them at S. C. Burnham & Co.'s and Smith's Pharmacy.

BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP

McNAMARA sells hardware. J. B. Dow, of Beloit, had business here today.

BUTTEREGGS, the 40c pound kind, we sell at 15c lb. Sanborn.

A BABY boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Perry Turnbaugh, this morning.

Nor half but less than half, jackets and capes at J. M. Bostwick & Sons'.

Nor half but less than half, jackets and capes at J. M. Bostwick & Sons'.

Dry wood, sawed, split and delivered to any part of the city. F. A. Taylor & Co.

Mrs. Elia G. Stetson, of Chicago, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Burdick.

All winter goods at special prices to close out beginning tomorrow, Jan. 25. T. P. Burns.

St. Agnes Guild supper at the chapel Wednesday evening, Jan. 25, from 5 to 8. Supper 15 cents.

A boy's shoes, all sizes: all solid, at \$1.00, at Rehberg Co's. Remember us for bargains in footwear.

THERE will be a regular meeting of Janesville Chapter No. 69, O. E. S., on Wednesday evening, January 25.

CHARLES BLAY left for Madison this morning, where he has secured a position in the capitol as enrolling clerk.

THERE will be a regular meeting of the directors of the Union Catholic League at their hall this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

WINTER goods of all kinds will be sacrificed beginning tomorrow, Jan. 25. T. P. Burns.

ANYTHING in ornamental candies our expert candy maker will make for you to your order at Al. Smith's, on the bridge.

At less than half, 200 stylish jackets, 100 lovely capes. Heed if in need, we lead indeed. Best styles. J. M. Bostwick & Sons.

Mrs. Anna R. Knox, of Oberlin, O., has returned to this city and will be at home to her friends at 201 Court street, east entrance.

St. Agnes Guild supper at the chapel Wednesday evening, Jan. 25, from 5 to 8. Supper 15 cents.

ATTEND T. P. Burns' closing out sale of all winter goods which begins tomorrow, Jan. 5.

Bring in that pair of old shoes and let us make you a price to fit them up. Our repair shop always shows activity. Amos Rehberg & Co.

THE special to have been given by the ladies of the Eastern Star Lodge Wednesday evening, January 25, is postponed until further notice.

EVERYTHING in the line of clothing and men's furnishing goods goes now at about half price to close out by February 15. John Weissend.

Six other people's wells then look at our \$2 wells. We can eclipse them all. Genuine bargains. They are what you want. Amos Rehberg & Co.

Nor half but less than half, jackets and capes at J. M. Bostwick & Sons'.

THE Caledonian society always make Burns' anniversary a remarkable event and this season's entertainment, Jan. 30, will be ahead of all previous records.

TOMORROW the expert candy maker will make coconut ice bars before your eyes. Come in and see him at work; you are perfectly welcome. Al. Smith.

WANTED—Twenty ladies to distribute Trading Stamp books to Janesville houses. Salary \$1 a day. Apply to Janesville Trading Association, Heimstreet's drug store, Tuesday.

OWING to other entertainments on the same evening as the meeting of the Twilight Club, announced for the first Tuesday in February, has been postponed till a date which will be announced hereafter.

SPLENDID drives in children's school shoes. A genuine bargain. Calf, button or lace, coin toe, 5 to 8 at 75 cents, 8 1/2 to 11 at \$1.00, 11 1/2 to 13 at \$1.25, 1 to 2 \$1.35. These prices can not be beat. Amos Rehberg & Co., the shoe hustlers.

To the friends who donated beautiful floral tributes, in memory of the late Mrs. James Sutherland, and to all who in any way gave them their aid and their sympathy during her sickness, the family return grateful thanks.

McNAMARA sells hardware.

THE BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Prices reduced on granite monuments Call and see work and get prices. F. A. Bennett, 15 North Franklin street.

For wagon repairing, carriage repairing, horse shoeing and all kinds of first class work, call on Heller & Newton, Park street.

We have bought the Will Davis livery at 111 E. Milwaukee St. Stylish turnouts, trap, hacks, surreys, wagonette, etc. Tarrant Bros., phone 69.

BONSTEN sells the best coal; wood and strictly pure buckwheat flour at cheapest prices. Office rear of postoffice, anti-combine dealer.

For choice plants, cut flowers, floral designs, decorations, sheaf of wheat, call at Rentschler Bros' 214 South Main street. Telephone 177-4.

Helpful Suggestion. "No," said the cousin from the far west, "we can't burn wood in our part of the country. Timber's too scarce."

"I've heard that charcoal makes a hot fire," said her eastern cousin. "Don't they dig any in your neighborhood?"—Chicago Tribune.

Just as Blunt. Flint—I am a plain, blunt man, Miss Brisk, and have no time for soft sentimentalities. Will you be my wife?

Maud Brisk—I am not half so plain as you are, Mr. Flint, but just as blunt. No!—Odds and Ends.

BUSINESS MEN AFTER THE BRIBERS

OFFER A REWARD FOR THOSE IN PENNSYLVANIA.

They Are Aroused By Reports That Money Is Being Used in the Senatorial Contest—Democrats Threatened With Tar and Feathers If They Vote For Quay.

Harrisburg, Jan. 24.—[Special.]—Interesting developments are expected in the Quay fight today. The Business Men's League has offered \$30,000 reward for the detection and punishment of bribery. Democratic members of the legislature are threatened with tar and feathers if they vote for Quay.

GIRL IS BURNED TO DEATH

Milwaukee Domestic Meets a Horrible Death Monday Evening

Alvina Yuedis, twenty-two years of age, was burned to death under most distressing circumstances shortly after 9 o'clock last evening at Milwaukee, where she was employed as a domestic.

The girl was in her room in the third story when the stairway caught fire, cutting off the only means of escape, and by the time help arrived, her body, burned to a crisp, was found huddled up in a corner where she had been driven by the flames.

Jacob Giersken.

Shortly after midnight last night Jacob Giersken, of Beloit, died at the Palmer Memorial hospital, where he had gone a week ago for medical care and nursing. His complaint was paralysis. Two attacks of the disease within a few days were more than his enfeebled state of health could resist. He was eighty-four years of age, and leaves a son in Racine and a daughter in Milwaukee to mourn his death.

ROYAL Baking Powder

Made from pure cream of tartar.

Safeguards the food against alum.

Alum baking powders are the greatest menaces to health of the present day.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Free Lecture

ON

Christian Science

BY

Edward A. Kimball,

C. S. B., of Chicago, Ill.

AT

COLUMBIA HALL,

WEDNESDAY

EVENING, Jan 25

The Lecture will commence promptly at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

January Underwear

Clearance Sale. A splendid buying opportunity. Our already low prices cut still lower.

Ladies' all wool natural gray Vest, size No. 16, 9c, rise 2c on each size to No. 34.

Children's all wool natural gray Vest, size No. 10, 10c, rise 2c on each size to No. 34.

Children's heavy ribbed fleeced lined union suits 40 to 55c.

Ladies' heavy gray ribbed fleeced lined Vest and Pants, were 30c, now 22c.

Next quality, same style, were 50c, now 31c.

Ladies' pure natural wool Vest and Pants, were 85c, now 68c.

Ladies' all wool camels hair Vest and Pants, were \$1.25, now 98c.

Ladies' Australian lamb wool slumped natural gray Vest and Pants, were \$1.25, now 92c.

Ladies' gray ribbed wool outside fleeced lined Vest and Pants, regular \$1.00, now \$1.15.

Ladies' all wool Vest and Pants, were \$1.50, now \$1.25.

Black wool union suits, were \$2.00, now \$1.75.

White wool union suits, regular \$1.50, goods, now \$1.25. All other winter underwear at reduced prices.

HELEN SERVATIUS.

Exclusive Ladies' Furnisher.

We fit all Gloves to the hand.

New Dinner Sets and Ch'mbr'r Sets

Just received, from the cheapest to the best.



WHELOCK'S CROCKERY STORE.

Special Sale of Candy

ALL THIS WEEK. Paper wrapped Caramels, 9c lb.; worth 15c. Home made Taffies, all flavors, 8c lb.; worth 10c. Peanut and Peanut Brittle, 12c lb.; worth 15c and 20c. Coconut, chip or flake, 14c lb.; worth 20c. Lemon and Hourglass Candy, 12c lb.; worth 15c. All these Candies are our own make and all fresh. Fancy Bananas, 10c doz all this week. Fresh Celery & Lettuce all this week.

GEO CITRON South Main St.

Taking it easy. That's what you can do when you use our POC. A POC is for your kitchen stove. It is the genuine. It is the best. The proof of Quality lies in the results obtained. The most complete Coal and Wood Yard in the city.



JANESVILLE COAL CO.

Office, Green & Allen's store, on the bridge, yard, South River street. Phone 5 office; phone 89, yard.

Don't Stop To Think

Foley's Honey and Tar.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy's One Minute Cough Cure.

Three Sure Cough Remedies or Cold Cures.

....25c per bottle....

PEOPLE'S DRUG CO.

Musical Instrument Bargains.

We have a splendid line of sweet toned Mandolins, Guitars and Violins at

DEFIED BY AGUINALDO.

The Liberation of the Spanish Prisoners Made Conditional.

SPAIN GIVEN AN ULTIMATUM.

Before Her Prisoners Are Released She Must Recognize the Philippine Republic and Ally Herself with It—Will Attack Otis' Men.

Madrid, Jan. 24.—The premier, Senor Sagasta, declares that Aguinaldo has made the liberation of the Spanish prisoners in the Philippine islands conditional upon Spain's recognizing the Philippine republic and allying herself thereto. Aguinaldo, it is added, has similarly demanded the Vatican's recognition of the Philippine republic.

A dispatch from Manila says: "The time in which the insurgents have allowed the Americans to recognize their independence will expire today, and hostilities are expected to reopen. Aguinaldo has requested the Vatican to send a commission to negotiate for the release of the clerical."

London, Jan. 24.—The Filipino junta here has received dispatches saying that if Agoncillo, one of Aguinaldo's envoys at Washington, is not received by the United States government within a few days, Aguinaldo will recall him to Manila and suspend relations with the United States, "thus removing an important medium for arriving at a peaceful understanding."

The junta's advice also asserts that "large numbers of American troops are fraternizing with the natives and that many of them are engaged to Filipino girls."

Washington, Jan. 24.—Gen. Otis, commanding the military forces in the Philippines, has cabled the war department as follows:

"Manila, Jan. 21.—The construction of a hospital at Nagasaki is unnecessary. The health of the command is good. Diseases are successfully treated here, except chronic bowel difficulty and rheumatism. I sent a number of such cases Monday by the transport Zealandia to San Francisco. If peace prevailed I might establish a hospital in the mountains, where recuperation would be rapid. The convalescent hospital at Corregidor, near the mouth of the harbor, is successful. OTIS."

WILL NOT RECOGNIZE AGONCILLO.

Washington, Officials Not Alarmed by Aguinaldo's Threats.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Secretary Alger yesterday afternoon said that, while he would be pleased to hear that the Filipinos had liberated the Spanish prisoners held by them, he had no official information to confirm the statement to that effect coming from Madrid.

Gen. Otis has been cabled for accurate information respecting the number of these prisoners, but so far he has not given the information. The government is pledged to endeavor to secure their release, and it will use every proper effort to do so, but it cannot be held for the performance of the impossible, and must be allowed its own time and the use of what it deems the best means to accomplish the task.

It is not to be supposed for a moment that the Spanish government, no matter how desirous of securing the release of the prisoners, will enter into any alliance with the insurgents. Technically the war is still in progress, although active hostilities are suspended, and any conduct on the part of the Spanish government that would tend to increase the difficulties of the United States in dealing with the insurgents would have to be accounted for.

The officials here are not moved by the reported threat of the Filipino junta in Europe to withdraw Agoncillo and his fellows from Washington if they are not speedily recognized officially. While Agoncillo has been well treated informally, he has not been recognized by the government, and will not be.

Stephenson Gains One Vote.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 24.—Three ballots were taken in the republican senatorial caucus last night and only one vote was changed. On the twenty-fourth ballot of the contest and the second of the evening Assemblyman Dresser of St. Croix Falls left the Cook column and voted for Mr. Stephenson. Senators Mailer (Stephenson) and Bissell (Babcock) and Assemblymen Loth (Stephenson), Johnson (Babcock) and Holcomb (Quarles) were absent. The last ballot resulted thus: Quarles, 41; Stephenson, 24; Cook, 17; Babcock, 15; Webb, 10.

Daly Is Mayor of Limerick.

Dublin, Jan. 24.—John Daly, the Irish political prisoner, who was released from Portland prison in 1896, after having been sentenced to penal servitude for life in 1884 for complicity in an alleged plot to blow up the house of commons, while in session, by throwing dynamite bombs from the strangers' gallery, has been elected mayor of Limerick by a unanimous vote under the new Irish local government act.

Excitement Proved Fatal.

Millville, N. J., Jan. 24.—J. Alfred Bodine, president of the Bodine Glass company of Williamstown, dropped dead in the office of his factory yesterday afternoon. His death is believed to have been due to excitement over the threatened strike of 3,000 glassblowers and 8,000 other employees today at this place, Bridgeton, Clayton, Glassboro, Salem, Williamstown and other points.

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I will guarantee that my Rheumatism Cure will relieve lumbago, sciatica and all rheumatic pains in two or three hours, and cure in a few days.

MUNYON.

At all druggists, 25c a vial. Guide to Health and medical advice free. 1506 Arch st., Phila.

RHEUMATISM

OTIS OBJECTS TO HARDEN.

Cannot Become Secretary of Philippine Commission.

New York, Jan. 24.—A dispatch to the Herald from Washington says: "Upon the arrival in Manila of the civilian members of the Philippine commission the first action which they will be required to take will be to elect a secretary. Edward W. Harden, of Chicago, selected a few days ago, will not fill this position. During his conference with the civilian members the president suggested that Rear Admiral Dewey and Maj. Gen. Otis should be consulted about such appointments, and agreed they be asked their opinion concerning Mr. Harden. During the war Mr. Harden had been employed as a newspaper correspondent at Manila, and had made his headquarters on board the revenue cutter McCulloch, which participated in the battle of Manila bay and subsequent operations. In reply to the president's inquiry, Admiral Dewey cabled that he had no objection to Mr. Harden's appointment. Gen. Otis, however, took exception to the appointment of the Chicago man, because, it is said, he published in a San Francisco newspaper a statement concerning the Philippines which Gen. Otis declared untrue. In view of Gen. Otis' message, the decision to appoint Mr. Harden as secretary of the commission was revoked, and a secretary will be selected by the commission when it holds its first session in Manila."

Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the Board of Trade to-day:

Article	High	Low	Jan. 23	Jan. 21
Wheat—				
May ..	.72 1/2	.71	.72	.70 3/4
July ..	.69 1/2	.69	.59 1/2	.68 3/4
Corn—				
Jan. ..	..	..	.35 1/2	.34 1/2
May ..	.38	.37 1/2	.38	.37
July ..	.38 1/2	.37 1/2	.38 1/2	.37 1/2
Oats—				
Jan. ..	..	..	.26 1/2	.26 1/2
May ..	.28	.27 1/2	.28	.27 1/2
July ..	.26 1/2	.26 1/2	.26 1/2	.26 1/2
Pork—				
Jan. ..	..	..	10.10	10.00
May ..	10.35	10.2 1/2	10.35	10.25
Lard—				
Jan. ..	..	..	5.67 1/2	5.60
May ..	5.92 1/2	5.80	5.90	5.82 1/2
Short Ribs—				
Jan. ..	..	..	5.00	4.90
May ..	5.17 1/2	5.10	5.17 1/2	5.12 1/2

Indiana Legislature.

Indianapolis, Jan. 24.—The sugar bounty bill, which proposed that a bounty of one cent per pound be paid by the state on all beet sugar produced in Indiana, was defeated in the senate by a big majority yesterday. Its opponents used the cry of economy with great effect. It was charged that companies had been formed for the production of beet sugar, and that the bounty would cost the state more than \$80,000 a year.

In the same body a bill for reform in the divorce laws was introduced. The bill was drawn by a committee representing the churches, and provides that no divorced person shall marry within two years after the granting of the divorce.

A bill for the establishment of a railroad commission was also introduced. It provides for three commissioners who shall investigate the condition of the roads, the circumstances attending wrecks, and all violations of the railroad laws.

AN ITALIAN BABY.

Babies may differ a trifle in complexion and hair, but otherwise they are



A NEAPOLITAN BAMBINO.

Very much alike the world over.

This Italian youngster hails from Naples and is of a proud and haughty bearing. As his mamma looks sweet and meek he probably rules her with a stern hand.

Blind people are more numerous in Spain than in any other country.

EMPRESS VICTORIA.

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE GERMAN WOMAN.

She is Acquiring Great Power Over Her Husband—She Believes That Germany Is the Honor and Glory of Christian Civilization.

That the German empress is not as simple and domestic a lady as the ignoring world has generally regarded her is gradually becoming too well authenticated a fact to be longer disbelieved. Proofs can be offered that show that the first lady of the fatherland has other and larger interests than the interests of wife and mother. Persons closely associated with the court say that she is prominently instrumental in shaping the policy of her erratic spouse, and that her word and judgment are weightily effective. How far the emperor is influenced



GERMAN EMPRESS.

by the empress' prejudices is one of those court questions that always wait fifty years or more to be answered. She certainly does not dominate his policy. At the same time she probably gets more satisfaction for her pains than the Empress Augusta got. That sentimental helpmate of the old emperor was so open in her advocacy of French diplomacy, so gushing in her attention to the French ambassador, so ungracious to Bismarck and so friendly to every candidate for the iron chancellor's shoes, that her husband could adopt no middle course, but boldly ignored her prejudices in every matter of state policy. In a way the present empress is better calculated to gain an occasional point with the present emperor than a woman of the Empress Augusta's nature would be. She is strong and sensible; she never gushes, as did the old emperor's wife, and she has no sympathy with anybody who doubts that Germany's is the honor, the power and the glory of all latter-day civilization.

SPAULETS ON OVERCOAT.

Naval Uniform on Shore Duty Surprises Some National Guard Officers.

During the recent convention of the national guard officers at the Palmer house several officers appeared wearing uniform overcoats with the hood hanging down the back and bright new shoulder straps glaring on the shoulders. These officers seemed to be unconscious of the unusual display. Landsmen wear insignia on the sleeves of their overcoats, narrow festoons of black silk braid being all that is needed to tell the grade. So as these officers entered the club room with shoulder straps outside their overcoats considerable comment followed. "What's the meaning of that, do you think?" was the question of one grizzled colonel, who has participated in two wars. "Give it up," his companion answered. "Guess they are afraid we won't know they are officers. First thing you know some of these militiamen will wear shoulder straps on their undershirts." A closer inspection revealed the fact that the officers under discussion were naval militiamen. The uniform prescribed for naval officers on shore duty calls for shoulder straps on the overcoat, and they were simply complying with regulations. One of them expressed his disgust because of the enforced display and consequent ridicule from those unacquainted with the law, but he was powerless.

Democrat Unseated in Wyoming.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Jan. 24.—The Wyoming senate yesterday, by a party vote, unseated Daniel Revill, democratic senator from Sweetwater county, and seated Joseph Iredale, republican. The county canvassing board declared Mr. Revill elected by one majority. The senate investigating committee decided the election according to the provisions of the state constitution for determining a tie vote.

Live for those that love you.

For those whose hearts are fond and true.

The only way to do this right, Take Rocky Mountain Tea at night. Smith's Pharmacy, kodak agents.

Pope Will Not Quit Work.

London, Jan. 24.—The Rome correspondent of the Daily Chronicle says: "The pope is giving audiences in bed. His physician, Dr. Laponi, wants him to suspend all occupations, but his holiness declines."

Bryan Gathers Carlosities.

Buenos Ayres, Jan. 24.—The correspondent in Rio Janeiro says that Charles Page Bryan, United States minister to Brazil, has just returned from the interior of the country with many products, which he will remit to the Commercial museum in Philadelphia.

WAS RUN COMPLETELY DOWN

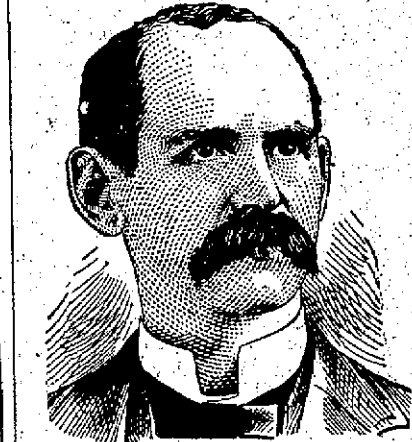
Poor Blood, Impaired Digestion, Nervous Prostration.

Like Many I Did Not Realize the Nature of My Difficulty.

Dr. Greene's Nervura Is Wonderful, It Has Put Me in Perfect Health.

Mr. L. D. de Mars, 327 Nicollet Ave., Minneapolis, Minn., says:

"Not until I was taken sick and was at a loss to know what to do for myself, did I realize that there were many helpless people who were ignorant of the true nature of their difficulty. Stricken with a form of nervous prostration, I experienced that tired feeling: My brain worked



slowly and my head was a mass of confused ideas so that I was not sure of myself and felt that I should stay away from business until I got well. My blood ran slowly, my digestion was affected so that my meals were a bore, instead of a pleasure to me. I was run down completely. I had heard Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy recommended as a good medicine for cases like mine, and I have no hesitation in saying that any cure which is as thorough and lasting as that which Dr. Greene's Nervura proved to me, is nothing short of wonderful. I am now in perfect health, and have not been ill a day since I recovered from the illness referred to above."

Try Dr. Greene's Nervura and see for yourself its wonderful effect. You can consult Dr. Greene, 148 State St., Chicago, Ill., without charge about your case, and his wide experience makes your cure certain. Consultation and advice are free whether you call or write.

Flags to Float Over Maine.

Havana, Jan. 24.—Arrangements have been made for a proper observance of Feb. 15, the anniversary of the destruction of the Maine. The full programme has not been agreed upon, but it is known that the officers and men from the American warships in the harbor will decorate the graves in the Cristobal Colon cemetery. Capt. Sigbee will make a few remarks in memory of the loss of his ship and men.

Insist on having Maple City Self-Washing soap if you want the best. If your dealer does not keep it he will get it for you.

Hall Admits Failure.

Chicago, Jan. 24.—Hall Adali, the "sultan's lion," met his first defeat last night at Tattersall's. While the mighty Turk was not conquered, he was given the hardest game he has undertaken in this country, and failed to accomplish the task set for him. J. T. Rooney, the "giant gripman," and M. F. (Farmer) Burns succeeded in breaking his terrible holds and wriggling from his bearlike hugs long enough to prevent his gaining two falls from each of them in ninety minutes. It will be some time, however, before either of them recovers from the usage they received.

Maple City Self-Washing Soap works perfectly in hard water. It bleaches white clothes and sets fast colors.

Dr. Sherman Goes to Manila.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Jan. 24.—Prof. Dean C. Worcester of the Philippine commission appointed Penoyer L. Sherman, Ph. D., of the University of Michigan, as the third of the three secretaries allowed the commission.

IS IT CURABLE?

A Question Often Asked by Those Afflicted With Piles.

Is a strained joint curable? Is local inflammation curable? Of course, if properly treated. So is piles.

People often become afflicted with piles and ask some old "chronic" who has always persisted in the wrong treatment and naturally he discourages them by telling them that their case is hopeless.

They in turn discourage others, and thus a disease that can in every case be cured by careful and skillful handling is allowed to sap the energy of thousands who might free themselves of the trouble in a few days.

Pyramid Pile Cure will cure the most aggravated case of hemorrhoids in an astonishingly short time. It relieves the congested parts, reduces the tumors instantly no matter how large, allays the inflammation and stops the itching or itching at once.

Thousands who had resorted to expensive surgical treatment have been cured by the Pyramid Pile Cure—in a number of instances persons who had spent months in a hospital under a pile specialist.

It is a remedy that none need fear to apply even to the most aggravated, swollen and inflamed hemorrhoidal tumors.

If you are afflicted with this stubborn disease you can master it and master it quickly.

This remedy is no longer an experiment, but a medical certainty. It is manufactured by the Pyramid Drug Co., of Marshall, Mich.

Druggists sell it at 50 cents per box. It is becoming the most popular pile cure this country has ever known and druggists everywhere are ordering it for their customers.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

30 Pieces of New Silk and Wool

Plaid Dress Goods,

In Nearly Every Conceivable Combination of Colors.

Realizing the fact that Plaids are going to be "the thing" this spring for Waists and Skirts, and remembering the great difficulty we experienced last season in securing desirable styles. We early placed our order for

These Choice Goods.

We now have them on our counters and can truthfully say it is THE line of high grade Plaid Dress goods of Janesville.

The Price Is 73c a Yd.

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For These Reasons....

We are selling goods for cash.

We use no premiums or fake gift schemes to attract trade.

We have no credit losses or expenses for the cash customer to pay.

We have exceptional advantages in buying.

Bort, Bailey & Co.

It is a Fact . . .

That Janesville people do not know that we can make almost anything in Wood.

Show Cases? You ought to see the one in Sherer's Drug Store. Go in and look at it. Quarter Sawn Red Oak—Plate Glass. Everything that ought to be in an up-to-date Display Case.

JEFFRIS LUMBER CO.

"One Profit From Stump to Consumer."

4 North River Street. Janesville.

A Word About Ranges

The kitchen that has not a first-class good range is certainly incomplete and the work of the housewife is made much more difficult.

The Jewett

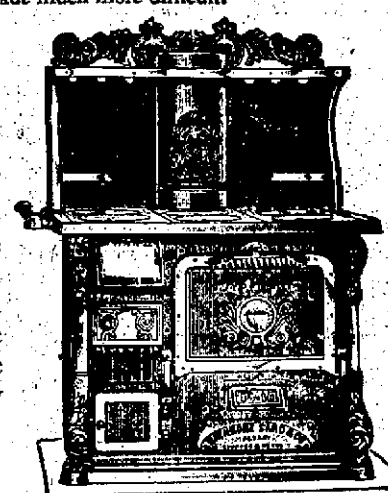
Cast range

Has a steel oven. Its wonderful heating and baking qualities place it far in advance of all other cast ranges. It is absolutely guaranteed to bake biscuit in twelve minutes from the time the fire is started and will do all its work in the same proportionate time. We have never yet failed to please any person on these Ranges.

Acorn steel ranges

Are made from Bessimer steel, the best materials for stove use known to stove manufacturers. There are more good points combined in Acorn Steel Ranges than any other stove of its class. We have just received a new lot of Ranges.

Armory Block. H. L. McNAMARA. Janesville



LATE NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

THE HEATHENS OF HAWAII.

Report of the Conditions of the Islands.

KNOW LITTLE OF OUR RELIGION

Common Thing to See Chinamen Marching Through the Streets with Roast Pigs, Bound for the Graves of Departed Brethren.

Boston, Jan. 24.—The American board of commissioners for foreign missions has just received an interesting report on the present condition of the Hawaiian Islands. The report is from Rev. J. Leedingham. After stating that drunkenness is ruining scores and hundreds of the natives, Mr. Leedingham says that heathenism still is a foe which Christianity must still encounter here. Besides the lingering remnants of Hawaiian heathenism is that which is imported from China and Japan. Shinto and Buddhist priests are active in the support of their faith among the Japanese laborers in some places in the islands. On a recent trip to the island of Hawaii Mr. Leedingham saw on one side of the road a building in front of which were some peculiarly shaped banners attached to tall poles. A pathway leading up to the building had been cut through the steep bank by the roadside, and the banks on either side of this pathway were stuck full of short pieces of bamboo, attached to which were strips of paper covered with Japanese characters. The building was a Shinto shrine and the strips of paper on the sides of the pathway were prayers. Here was real heathenism from Japan. It is no uncommon sight to see a hack loaded with Chinamen and having with them a nicely roasted pig, on the way to the cemetery to pay their homage to their dead ancestors.

BUY HAVANA WAREHOUSES.

Boston Capitalists Offer \$3,500,000 for the Jan Jose Docks.

New York, Jan. 24.—A dispatch to the Tribune from Havana says: "Boston capitalists are said to have made an offer of \$3,500,000, Spanish gold, for the San Jose warehouse and wharves. The offer is in writing, and Gelats & Co., the agents of the property, are reported as satisfied with the financial responsibility of the parties making it. They are expected in Havana on Wednesday. The original offer was for a long-time lease, but this was refused. Some existing leases have to be arranged in making the sale. Plans which had been formed for renting the warehouses separately have been abandoned, because of the probable sale of the entire property. The docks have nearly half a mile of water front. The warehouses are of structural steel. The other water frontage and docks are the property of the Havana municipality. There are large sugar warehouses across the bay at Regia, but they have not the same value as the property on the city side of the harbor. Most of the importing houses have direct trackage with the San Jose warehouses. The parties making the offer are credited with various plans, but until the transfer is actually carried out these will not be disclosed."

Girl Slept Nearly a Week.

Marquette, Wis., Jan. 24.—The daughter of Edward J. Martin, an ex-alderman, awoke yesterday, after having slept nearly a week. During that time her slumber was wholly unbroken, and the strongest efforts of her attendants failed to awaken her. She took no nourishment during that time, and the only signs of life she manifested were her breathing and a smile when attempts were made to awaken her. Thursday evening she revived and was given nourishment, but she immediately relapsed into unconsciousness and did not awake again until yesterday morning.

President Chosen for Brown.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 24.—While the committee appointed by the corporation of Brown university to select a suitable candidate for the presidency of that institution, to succeed Dr. Andrews, will not say anything for publication until Feb. 8, the day of the special meeting of the corporation, it is currently reported that they have selected a man whose name has not hitherto been mentioned in the rumors concerning the office. It is stated that the candidate selected is the Rev. Nathan E. Wood, now pastor of the First Baptist church of Boston.

Kills Himself at His Desk.

Carmi, Ill., Jan. 24.—John R. Kuykendall, county clerk of White county, and one of the best known democratic officials in southern Illinois, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head while sitting at his desk in the county clerk's office at an early hour yesterday morning. With the exception of four years, when he served as deputy, he had been county clerk since 1880, and he had just entered upon another term of four years.

A Card

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50c bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25 cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded. People's Drug Co., H.E. Ranous & Co.

TEXAS URGED TO SECEDE.

Legislator Asks the State to Withdraw from the Union.

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 24.—In the lower house of the Texas legislature at Austin yesterday a sensation was created by Dudley G. Wooten of Dallas, who is regarded as the house leader, introducing a resolution favoring Texas withdrawing from the federal union because of alleged injustice and violation of the state's rights through the policy adopted in enforcing the war revenue law.

A short time ago Attorney General Crane of Texas protested to Internal Revenue Commissioner Scott against the requirements that the official bonds of county and municipal officers must have war revenue stamps attached. Mr. Crane took the position that this was illegal and an encroachment on the rights of the state. Mr. Scott ruled adversely.

This ruling led up to Mr. Wooten's resolution. After a bitter denunciation of the federal government by a number of members who took part in the debate the resolution went over for final action until tomorrow.

VISIT STUDEBAKER WORKS.

Implement Dealers, Guests of the Company at South Bend.

South Bend, Ind., Jan. 24.—Representative agricultural implement dealers from Western Missouri, Kansas, Indian Territory, Arkansas and Oklahoma Territory arrived here today on a special train from Kansas City. They came as the guests of the Studebaker Manufacturing Company, in order to become better acquainted with the products of the company, for which they are selling agents in their respective localities. They spent the morning in inspecting the various departments of the factory and the lumber yards, where nearly 50,000,000 feet of lumber is stored. A display of the finished product of the works had also been prepared.

This afternoon there will be an informal banquet, at which addresses will be made by the guests and heads of departments in the works.

Two million Americans suffer the torturing pains of dyspepsia. No need to, Burdock Blood Bitters cures. At any drug store.

Impossible to foresee an accident. Not impossible to be prepared for it. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Monarch over pain.

"Little Colds" neglected—thousands of lives sacrificed every year. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures little colds—cures big colds too, down to the very verge of consumption.

Terrible plagues, those itching, pestering diseases of the skin. Put an end to misery. Doan's Ointment cures. At any drug store.

King Oscar Takes a Rest. Stockholm, Jan. 24.—Although the health of King Oscar continues to improve his physicians have ordered him to take a complete rest. Therefore his majesty has entrusted the government provisionally to the crown prince, Prince Gustaf, and has gone to Saltoja-Baden.

Promotion for Col. Grima. Washington, Jan. 24.—The president today nominated Colonel Eugene Griffin, First United States Volunteer Engineers, to be brigadier general at Durango, Col.

Mr. S. A. Fackler, editor of the Minnecopy (Fla.) Hustler, with his wife and children, suffered terribly from la grippe. One Minute Cough Cure was the only remedy that helped them. It acted quickly. Thousands of others use this remedy as a specific for la grippe, and its exhausting after effects. Never fails. People's Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

Additional Home Seekers' Excursion.

Home seekers' excursion round trip tickets to points in southern, southwestern, western and northern states on other lines; and points in Iowa, Minnesota and the Dakotas on its own lines will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway on Jan. 17, Feb. 7 and 21, at half fare plus \$2. Tickets are limited to twenty-one days for return passage.

La grippe is again epidemic. Every precaution should be taken to avoid it. Its specific cure is One Minute Cough Cure. A. J. Shepherd, publisher Agricultural Journal and Advertiser, Eldon Mo., says: "No one will be disappointed in using One Minute Cough Cure for la grippe." Pleasant to take. Quick to act. People's Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

Excursion to Sioux Falls, S. D.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway will sell round-trip excursion tickets to Sioux Falls, S. D., at half January 21 to 24, inclusive, good for return until January 31, 1899. The occasion is the Annual Convention of the National Creamery Butter Makers' Association.

The smallest things may exert the greatest influence. Do Witt's Little Early Risers are unequalled for overcoming constipation and liver troubles. Small pill, best pill, safe pill. People's Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

Tax delicacies you like so well in summer are twice as acceptable now such as lettuce, radishes, celery, etc. We have received a large lot for Saturday trade. Sanborn.

All the fresh eggs you want 20c per dozen at Sanborn's.

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

Senator White Protests Against Annexation.

EXPANSION POLICY IS SCORED.

Senator from California Makes a Speech on the Subject of the Philippines—Says the Government's Plan Should Be Announced.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Discussion of the policy of expansion occupied nearly all the time of the senate in open session yesterday. Mr. White of California, who has announced heretofore his opposition to ratification of the treaty of peace, in the face of resolutions passed by the California legislature, addressed the senate in support of the anti-expansion resolution introduced by Mr. Vest (dem., Mo.) and another resolution offered by Mr. Bacon (dem., Ga.) declaring that the Philippines ought to be free and independent.

Mr. White is a brilliant speaker and he was complimented by his colleagues with a large audience in the galleries with a careful attention. He did not enter into a constitutional argument, but confined himself to a discussion of expansion as a policy of this government. He maintained that such a policy was contrary to the fundamental principles of this country, to its history and traditions. He declared his opposition to the ratification of the pending treaty of peace, but broadly intimated that a declaration of definite policy on the part of the administration would very much simplify the situation, and as a matter of good faith, ought not to be antagonized by the advocates of the treaty's ratification. Mr. White spoke as follows:

"I care not," said Mr. White, "whether the people in the Philippines are fitted for self-government or not. It is certain that if they are not they ought not to be brought into alliance with us."

Mr. White then referred to the president's statement that the attitude of the United States toward the Philippines was to be one of "benevolent assimilation."

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"Does the senator speak for the president used it in that sense?" "Undoubtedly," replied Mr. Chandler, blandly, "the president thinks as I do if he is a wise man, and I think he is. The president thinks we ought to bring these people into a reasonable likeness to us, but not necessarily to incorporate them, and I hope the senator will not lay too much stress upon the expression, 'benevolent assimilation.'"

"If the senator can assure us," replied Mr. White, "that he speaks with authority as to the utterances of the president, I may not have a high regard for the definition, but I might have more respect for the policy involved."

"Quite naturally," said Mr. Chandler, "I am not and could not be responsible for the president's definition of his words. This word 'assimilation' does not mean destruction or swallowing up, but it does mean a likeness, identity, etc."

"It would take certainly a long time," retorted Mr. White, facetiously, "to bring a Mohammedan from Minidocua to assume a likeness to the distinguished senator from New Hampshire."

The senate then, at 2:10 p. m., on motion of Mr. Davis, chairman of the committee on foreign relations, went into executive session.

After the executive session Mr. Chandler called up the bill to restore to their original status officers of the navy and marine corps who lost their status by reason of the promotion of other officers by reason of conspicuous conduct in battle. The bill went over on objection, and at 5:15 p. m. the senate adjourned.

In the House.

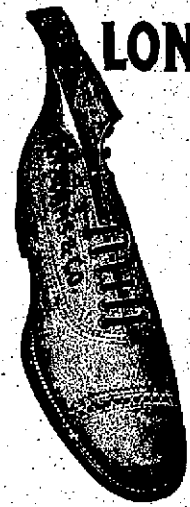
Washington, Jan. 24.—The Carter bill relating to the government of Alaska was favorably reported to the house yesterday by Mr. Broderick of the house committee on territories. It preserves the general plan of the senate bill, but makes numerous changes. An important amendment provides that "whenever practicable, the secretary of the interior shall require that all children between the ages of 6 and 16 years shall attend public or private school, where the instruction shall be in English; at least three months in each year."

Sampson-Schley Question Up.

Washington, Jan. 24.—The entire executive session of the senate yesterday was devoted wholly to the discussion of the promotion of Admirals

A New Shoe....

need not be hard to buy if you go to the right place to buy it. The right combinations in STYLES THAT PLEASE AT PRICES THAT ARE EASY TO PAY, with the largest assortment to select from. That's what you will find here. That's the reason you always find us selling Shoes, because we have got the Shoes to sell. We carry them in stock, "not samples", at all times.



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Our January Sale is now open. Our Bargain Table is full. Come and look us over.

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THE FOOT FITTING SHOE MEN.

Sampson and Schley and other naval officers engaged in the Santiago campaign over the heads of officers who were their superiors in rank. The controversy was then postponed for twenty days, after a vote had been taken to call for the records of the navy department bearing upon the conduct of all affected by the advancement.

PRESIDENT TAKES AN OUTING.

White House Party Making a Trip Down the Potomac.

Washington, Jan. 24.—President McKinley, accompanied by Mrs. McKinley and a party of friends, went down the river this forenoon on the dispatch boat Sylph for a day's outing. In the party were Col. and Mrs. Herrick of Cleveland, Capt. and Mrs. McWilliams of Chicago, Capt. and Mrs. Rand, Miss Mary Barber, Miss Mabel McKinley, Miss Clara Shields, Miss Mary McWilliams, Miss Carrie Harter, C. R. Shultz and James Barber. All the members of the party are guests at the White House. The party will return to the city this evening.

TO DAWSON AGAINST TIME.

Richard Butler Will Attempt to Make the Trip in Twenty Days.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 24.—A race against time from Seattle to Dawson for a purse of \$6,000 began at midnight last night, when Richard Butler, a wealthy Klondiker, started for Dawson on the steamer City of Seattle. Joe Barrett, another wealthy Klondiker, bet Butler \$2,000 he could not make the trip from Seattle to Dawson in twenty-five days or less and \$1,000 that he could not make it in less than twenty days.

Hereford for Alliance.

Yokohama, Jan. 24.—Rear Admiral Lord Charles Hereford, who has spent some time in China on a special mission from the British Associated Chambers of Commerce, and who is now en route home, speaking at Tokyo on Saturday at a meeting of the Japanese Oriental Association, repeated his previously expressed wish for an alliance between Japan, Germany, England and the United States to protect trade interests in China. Lord Hereford also condemned any policy based upon spheres of influence that the country might take.

New Klondike Boom.

Tacoma, Wash., Jan. 24.—P. H. Hebb, who is part owner of forty Klondike claims, has arrived from Dawson. He brings news that Dominion creek has just jumped into prominence as a gold producer of the first rank, exceeding Bonanza and equalling Eldorado. Its claims are not as rich as a limited number on Eldorado, but its length is greater. Dominion, and Eldorado, together will produce from \$10,000,000 to \$12,000,000 at the spring clean-up. A conservative estimate puts the winter output of the Klondike at \$30,000,000, doubling the output of last winter.

Three Asked to Resign.

Washington, Jan. 24.—It is understood that the president has requested the resignation of Messrs. Shurtliff, Wilkinson and Sharp, three of the nine members of the board of general appraisers at New York. The officials here decline to make any statement in regard to the matter, yet there is reason to believe that want of harmony in the board is one of the causes of the president's action.

Reopened Its Doors.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 24.—The German National bank, which closed its doors October 18, 1898, resumed business today with enough money to pay every depositor in full with interest. There was no excitement, and the deposits exceeded the withdrawals three to one.

Kipling Coming to America.

Liverpool, Jan. 24.—Among the passengers who will sail for New York Wednesday on board the White Star Line steamer Majestic will be Mr. and Mrs. Rudyard Kipling.

Horrible agony is caused by Piles, Burns and Skin Diseases. These are immediately relieved and quickly cured by De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. Beware of worthless imitations. People's Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

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Carle Block, over Zeigler's Clothing store, near Masonic Hall, Main and Milwaukee streets accessible from two streets.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN

CHICAGO	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
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CEREALS CONTAIN LIFE!

Freun's Wheat Wafers, a new perfectly digestible food, will not distress the weakest stomach; regular price, 15c package, 2 for 25c; our price 10c

Pettijohn's Breakfast Food, a standard article, 15c package; 2 for 25c

Wheat Manna, used extensively and well liked, 15c package; 2 for 25c

Rolled Avena, a popular food, 15c package; 2 for 25c

Vitos Breakfast Food, made by Pillsbury mills, very fine, 15c package; 2 for 25c

Cream of Wheat Food, a very choice article per package 15c

Wheatlet, a food that has received many testimonials, 15c package; 2 for 25c

Granose Flakes; they enrich the blood; a delicious food for invalids, etc., 15c package; 2 for 25c

Wheatena, a food you have often heard of, per package 25c

Whole Wheat Shredded Biscuits, an article not generally carried, that is very nice for invalids, etc, 15c package, 2 for 25c

Franklin Whole Wheat Flour, claimed by many to be the best on the market, per package, 30c, per bag, 40c

Rye Flour, a superior milling, 25 lb. sack 50c

Faribault Graham Flour, per sack 25c

White Rose Graham Flour, made by Warren & Tomkins, of Albany, Wis, from White Organ Winter Wheat, per sack 25c

Hornby's H. O. Oats; you have seen them advertised; per package 15c

Quaker Rolled Oats, known to every family, 15c package; 2 for 25c

Richelieu Rolled Oats, the name is a guarantee of quality, 15c package; 2 for 25c

Richelieu Pastry Flour for angel foods and other cakes, an exceptionally good article, 5 lb. package, per package 25c

The ingredients embodied in cereals are necessary to the human body. There are more good qualities in the wheat kernel than all other foods. Some breakfast foods are more nutritious than others, therefore you should use judgment in selecting your morning meal accessory. We sell the best cereal products; not a good one on the market that we do not handle; the prices are right also. Some of these should recommend themselves to your use.

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Bulk wheat

Breakfast Food is a splendid article, 5c lb., 6 lbs for 25c.

Swans Down Prepared Cake Flour, the nicest article of the kind out; good cake is a surety with its use; enough flour to make 12 cakes for 25c

Cerene, a Breakfast Food of worth, 15c package; 2 for 25c

Grape Nuts, a new article, but a good one 15c package; 2 for 25c

New England Self-Rising Pancake Flour, 10c per package, 3 for 25c

Richelieu Pancake Flour, a combination of wheat rice and corn meal, making one of the most healthful self-rising pancake flour on the market, package 10c

Cook's Rice Flakes, doesn't require any cooking, one of the easiest breakfast foods to digest, per package, 15c

Gold Medal and Jennison's Very Best Flour, nothing better made, per sack \$1

We also carry in stock the following bulk Cereal Foods:

Portland White Cracked Wheat, per pound, 5c

Richelieu Rolled Oats, a specially fine article, per pound 4c

Perfection Rolled Oats, an extra good quality, per lb 3c, 10 pounds for 25c

Cracked Southern White Corn Hominy per pound, 3c

Southern White Corn Meal, per pound, 3c

"Gold Dust" Yellow Corn Meal, per pound, 3c

Cereal Beverages.

Postum Cereal, the best known cereal coffee out per package 15 and 25c

Caramel Cereal, a good coffee substitute, per package 15c

Grain-O, one that most every newspaper has been advertising for some time past; a red blood maker; per package 15 and 25c

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BRIEF BITS OF HUMOR.

THE BOYS OF MY BOYHOOD.

Sometimes when I ain't so busy workin' for my daily bread (which is only in the evenin's when I'd orter be in bed), When the troubles an' the trials of the weary day are through An' the stars are twinklin' brightly in the far an' distant blue When I get to wanderin' back among the days of long ago An' a-thinkin' an' a-dreamin' of the boys I used to know.

That was Silas Green, a youngster that was in my class at school An' the chap that taught me how to say the long division rule. He was allers counted handsome an' a mighty knowin' boy. An' his folks looked on his future with a lot of pride an' joy.

"Was last week I run across him—only time in twenty years— He was 'trampin' through the country grandin' butcher knives an' shears.

Wham! Wilkins was another boy I knowed in days of yore. He's a cobblestone arranger in the town of Baltimore.

Bary Jenkins is a moorman, an Ebenezer Brown Is disportin' hot reformlies in a Pennsylvania town.

Of my dearest friends of boyhood, Rufus Perkins was the best. Who is punchin' cattle somewhar in the wild an' woolly west.

Eben Sikes is in the Philippines, an Jeremiah Reese Is a-posit in the Klondike as a justice of the peace.

Memory takes me back to others that I ain't got time to name— Some are doin' mostly nothin', others jist about the same.

But I don't believe there's one of them that's doin' any worse Than myself, that's scribblin' poetry at fifty cents a verse.

—New York Truth.

Discovered.

First Eminent French Detective—Aha, comrade, gr-r-rest news!

Second Ditto—Mon Dieu! What ees eet?

"I have zee clew discovaire to zee pr-r-resent hiding place of zee infamous Zola!"

"Impossible!"

"On zee contraires eet ees true."

"Ah, but how, when, where?"

"Listen. Eet ees zee enormous piece of zee gr-r-and 'good luck. I found eet by zee moe' lucky chance."

"Tell me, my comrade."

"I will. I look in zee papaire zis morning. At fir-r-st I see nothin'. Then, all of a sudden I catch sight of a letter. Mon Dieu! eet ees from Zola, an' he gives bees addr-r-ress! Ha, ha, how eet zat for zee old Vidocq!"

"Eet ees magnificent! What a gr-r-r-and piece of work! What a gr-r-r-and head! Absinth?"

"Oui!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

a couple of hours if you think you can keep the baby quiet.

Smart Husband (who wouldn't hurt a fly)—Oh, I'll do it! I'll keep him quiet if I have to choke him.

Wife—On second thoughts, I don't believe I feel like sewing this afternoon. Let's go to the park.—New York Weekly.

Not a Worshiper of Mankind.



"Do you believe that man is descended from a monkey?"

"Perhaps it is true! I'm sure a dog was not his ancestor. Fido is so intelligent!"—Up to Date.

The Only Thing to Do.

"What became of the man who committed to memory all of Shakespeare's plays while in jail?"

"They had to lock him up again. He was always going around quoting them."—Chicago Record.

Before and After.

"What is the name of your dog, sir?" inquired a visitor.

"His name was William," said the host, "until he had fits, and since then we have called him Fitz William."—Comic Cuts.

An Exception.

Yeast—I can't help liking a successful man.

Crimeonbank—Unless it is the one who succeeded in borrowing \$5 from you months ago.—Yonkers Statesman.

No Danger.

Mr. Spriggins (looking over the paper)—More trouble in Newfoundland over the fisheries dispute. I hope they won't let leave the door of peace.

Mrs. Spriggins—Newfoundland dogs don't bite.—New York Weekly.

A Mystery.

Mr. Jason—This hero, W. C. T. U. is the cold water people, ain't they?

Mrs. Jason—Why, of course.

"Then what air they always gettin into hot water about somethin or other fer?"—Minneapolis Journal.

Why, Indeed?

"Why," he asked scornfully, "why should I send my boy to school, and teach him to spell when I intend, that he shall be a writer of dialect stories?"—Chicago Post.

Sign of Bad Luck.

"I never travel in new shoes."

"Superstitions?"

"Yes. The last time I did so I lost one out of the car window."—Chicago Record.

Poor Girl!

The violet for modesty and shy unobtrusiveness isn't in it with a girl who is wearing an old hat when every one else has on new millinery.—Acheson Globe.

Suspensions of His Role.

Deadeye Dan—Be sure and turn up at our lynching bee tonight, Bill. You're the M. C.

Bilgewater Bill (cautiously)—What's the M. C.?

Deadeye Dan—Master of ceremonies. Bilgewater Bill (relieved)—Aldright, pard. Thought mebbe 'twas "my choke."—Comic Cuts.

She Had the Price.

In vain they protested, that the duke was an adventurer or worse.

"What," they finally exclaimed, "if there were a price upon his head?"

Beryl Aus der Wabash, the willful heiress, only smiled.

"I have the price!" she answered them, in all confidence.—Detroit Journal.

Unconscious Satire.

"What is yo' keepin dat lame duck round so long foh?" inquired Mr. Erasmus Pinkley.

"Yo' see," answered Miss Mima Brown, "de white folks at my service place has cake walk parties. I ze tryin to learn some er de steps dey uses, an I ze keepin dis bird foh a model."—Washington Star.

Masculine Intuition.

Mr. Simkins—Our new neighbor, Mrs. Lumkins, is not a very neat housekeeper, is she?

Mrs. Simkins—Indeed she isn't. She lets things lay around every which way. How did you know?

Mr. Simkins—Oh, her husband looks so jolly!—New York Weekly.

Because It's Somebody Else's! Diggs—Simkins certainly has a wonderful memory.

Diggs—Why do you think so?

Diggs—He never leaves his umbrella anywhere.—Chicago News.

Grand Clearance Sale

The WIDE AWAKE

53 West Milwaukee Street.

There are BARGAINS in our store at all times, but not such Bargains as will be found here during our CLEARANCE SALE, which begins Thursday morning, Jan. 19th, and continues for nine days, closing Saturday night, Jan. 29. To tell you why we take New, Clean, Reliable, Seasonable Merchandise and make a sacrificial offering of it would take time and space.

The Why does not interest you. The Fact that we so do does interest you. Perhaps we think it is cheap advertising. Perhaps we want to find out just how many of our buying public read our advertisements. Perhaps we appreciate your liberal patronage and take this method of showing our appreciation. Whatever the reason the fact is here. Each promise printed will be promptly fulfilled.

Dinnerware and Toiletware

Although the crockery trust has bought up all the potteries in the country and advanced prices about 50 per cent. we have not marked our goods one penny higher and during this sale give you 15 per cent off from our regular low prices.

per cent off	Per cent off
All Fancy China, 20	All Ribbons 20
All Fancy Glass & Vases 20	All Books 20
All Table Glassware . . . 20	All Gloves and Mittens. 20
All Table Tumblers . . . 20	All Pictures 20
All Lamps 20	All Silverware 20
All Tinware 20	All Jewelry 20
All Enamelware 20	All Work Shirts 20
All Nickel Tea & Coffee 20	All Pants and Overalls. 20
Pots 20	All 5 and 10c Goods . . . 20
All Nickel Tea Kettles. 20	All Horse Blankets . . . 20
All Hosiery 20	All Cutlery 20
All Underwear 20	

One glance at the above Reductions will show you the great saving you will make by buying now, and as one eye witness is worth more than a dozen hearsays, come and see for yourself that everything we advertise we promptly and cheerfully fulfill.

W. W. EMMONS & CO.

Inventory Is Over...

Each year after completing this task we gather together the odd and broken lots of children's and men's clothing. This year we find some larger lots than we wish to have on hand at this season. We are marking all these lots down in price, some at

33 per cent.

and some at

50 per cent.

Less than the regular figures.

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we have taken every odd piece in the line. A few of them soiled and somewhat damaged, and marked them down to

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